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INDEPENDENCE TICKET SURE-- BLOW TO BRYAN; HE'S SILENT

HEARST TO KNIFE THE BRYAN TICKET

YELLOW PUBLISHER CALLS NEBRASKAN A "CHAMELEON"

WILL LAUNCH HIS TICKET

Wires From Europe to Tell Gompers He Cannot Longer Stand for Democrats

NEW YORK, July 17—The following cablegram from W. R. Hearst has been received in reply to a message transmitted to Mr. Hearst from Samuel Gompers stating that, in view of the democrats' stand for labor, it would be "an act of greatest patriotism for the independence party to indorse the democratic plaform," and urging him not to run a third ticket, as it would elect Mr. Taft:

"PARIS, July 15.—Tell Mr. Gompers that I am not authorized to speak for the membership of the independence league, but according to my personal standards, a purer patriotism consists in laboring to establish a new party which will be consistently devoted to the interests of the citizenship, and particularly to the advantage and advancement of the producing classes. I do not think the path of patriotism lies in supporting a discredited and decadent old party, which has neither conscientious construction nor honest intentions, or in indorsing chameleon candidates who change the color of their political opinion with every varying hue of opportunism.

"I do not think the best benefit of laboring men lies in supporting that old party because of a sop of false promise, when the performance of that party while in power did more to injure labor than all the injunctions ever issued before or since.

"I have lost faith in the empty professions of an unregenerate democracy. I have lost confidence in the ability, in the sincerity, and even in the integrity of its leaders. I do not consider it patriotism to pretend to support that which, as a citizen, I distrust and detest, and I earnestly hope that the independence party will give me an opportunity to vote for candidates that are both able and honest, and for a declaration of principles that is both sound and sincere.'

"WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST."

NEBRASKAN WON'T ARGUE THE POINT

DECLINES TO DISCUSS HEARST'S ATTACK ON HIM

BUT STUMP WILL TALK

Party Orators are Expected to Show Mr. Hearst Up in Light of Inside Information

(By John E. Nevin.)

LINCOLN, July 17.—W. J. Bryan refuses to be drawn into a controversy with Publisher Hearst. The leader of democracy refused today to comment on the interview cabled from Paris by Hearst in which the latter characterizes the leaders of democracy as corrupt. Bryan made it plain he intended to stand squarely on the platform adopted at Denver and to refuse to discuss any matters not included therein, no matter who raises them.

But this does not mean that the Hearst attack will be ignored. It proved the chief topic of conversation at a conference of leading democrats here. The leaders finally agreed, it is learned, from a reputable source, that the actions and policies of Hearst will be thoroughly discussed on the stump by democratic orators who know all the facts in the case. Bryan himself may have something to say on the subject after he has been officially notified of his nomination, and the Hearst platform is in hand.

The Bryan men today are taking great comfort from the proposed conference of republicans from western states at Colorado Springs next week; they declare that Hitchcock's trip across the continent at this time is a confession that he fears the ultimate result and believes certain so-called rock-ribbed republican states will be hard to keep in line. Asked to specify, they say these states are Idaho, Colorado, Kansas and Nebraska, and the Bryanites also have hopes of making a showing in the Dakotas. Bryan today gave out the text of an appeal which he and Kern have jointly prepared. It is addressed to the farfers, and in part says:

Plea to Farmers

"The first contribution made to the democratic campaign fund this year was made by an Iowa farmer. Just before the Denver convention this man, who modestly prefers not to have his name mentioned, journeyed over 1,200 miles to Lincoln, with $100 which he left with Mr. Bryan. This farmer was born in Sweden, and for some years after he was naturalized was a member of the republican party. It is very appropriate that the first contribution should come from that great body of our population known as "agriculturists," for the farmer has nothing to gain by class privilege and favoritism. His hope is in the anticipation of the doctrine of equal rights to all, special privileges to none; he has been the victim of all special legislation and has suffered from the control of politics by the great predatory corporations. Now that the democratic party has announced its determination not to accept contributions from corporations and not to accept excessive contributions even from individuals, and to publish contributions above a reasonable minimum, it ought to be able to secure a sufficient campaign fund from these patriotic citizens who ask from government nothing but protection of their rights and consideration of the general welfare.

"Farfers' Fund"

"As the national committee has not yet been organized, we will call for subscriptions to this farmers' fund," the statement says. "Those giving may indicate whether they are willing to have their names mentioned, and if the contributions are under $100, their wishes will be complied with. All contributions above $100 must be made known, no matter where they come from. The Denver convention was the people's convention. It adopted a strong, clear and honest platform. Its nominations were made with practical unanimity. Our fight is a fight for the whole people. Our aim is equal and exact justice to all. Our purpose is to restore the government to the hands of freely chosen representatives of the voters.

(Signed.)

"WM. J. BRYAN.
"JOHN W. KERN."

LAKE COLLISION ENDANGERS LIVES

CHICAGO, July 17.—Many lives were endangered early today by a collision between a large lake excursion steamer and the threemasted schooner Lucy Simpson, five miles off Chicago. The Simpson backed away from the steamer without learning its identity, but it is feared many passengers may have been injured in the crash.

The life saving crew is investigating. The accident occurred during a blinding rainstorm. Capt. Simonson of the schooner believes the other boat was badly damaged.

Later

The steamer with which the Simpson collided was the W. H. Williams, an excursion boat, according to a dispatch from South Haven, Mich. The vessel arrived there today. The steamer was not badly injured, but the passengers were badly shaken, though unhurt.

BLAST TEARS NINE BODIES TO ATOMS

CLEELUM, Wash., July 17.—With fragments of their bodies scattered over a half mile nine persons are dead today as the result of an explosion of a carload of powder at the plant of the Northwestern Improvement company.

The dead: George Head, manager; Milford McDonnells, clerk; Andrew Grill, clerk; four miners; Mrs. Peter Moffat and her infant child. Mrs. Moffat and child were in a tent near the powder magazine. Not a vestige remains of the tent or bodies.

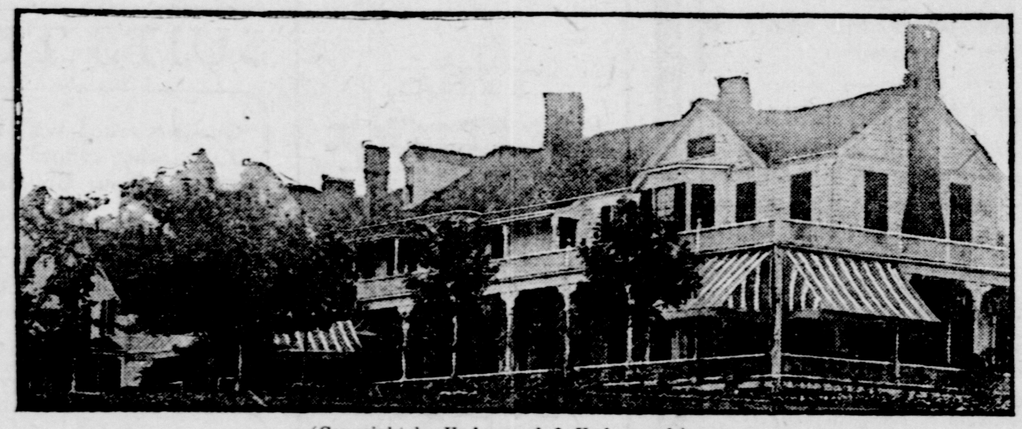
FRAUD ORDER ISSUED

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 17.—The Atlantic Manufacturing company of Minneapolis, was today debarred from the mails on the ground that its operations are fraudulent. The postoffice inspectors allege the purpose of its scheme was to secure a $25 security deposit by hedging in restrictions in contracts so severe that compliance would be practically impossible.

MOVEMENT OF BOATS

The Ben Hershey went up river and the E. Rutledge down yesterday afternoon.

HOME OF REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE TREASURER



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Mr. Sheldon's home at Glen Cove, Long Island, from whence the campaign for republican funds is being waged.

SCHOOL CENSUS SHOWS DECREASE

197 LESS THIS YEAR THAN LAST, IS REPORT

9,938 ARE OF SCHOOL AGE

Fourteenth Ward Shows Largest Decrease—Eighth Ward Shows Increase—Thirteen Decline

Superintendent of Schools John P. Bird has issued the official school census for 1908, showing a decrease of 197 in the school attendance in comparison with last year's figures. The Fourteenth ward shows the greatest decrease in number of pupils, but this may be accounted for as about 20 are over school age. The wards and pupils in each are as follows:

Wards.	Boys.	Girls.	Total
First	210	240	450
Second	104	140	244
Third	228	253	481
Fourth	165	196	361
Fifth	225	242	467
Sixth	157	148	305
Seventh	302	309	611
Eighth	572	588	1160
Ninth	256	235	491
Tenth	253	257	510
Eleventh	261	257	518
Twelfth	90	106	196
Thirteenth	151	148	299
Fourteenth	235	251	486
Fifteenth	260	243	503
Sixteenth	148	172	320
Seventeenth	248	331	579
Eighteenth	358	390	748
Nineteenth	213	248	461
Twentieth	186	170	356
Twenty-first	206	186	392
Total	4828	5110	9938

The census showed an increase in number of children attending school in the Eighth ward, while a decrease in school attendance was shown in the remaining thirteen. The First ward gained 15, the Second lost 33, Third lost 9, Fourth lost 7, Fifth gained 60, Sixth lost 22, Seventh gained 18, Eighth lost 13, Ninth lost 23, Tenth lost 25, Eleventh lost 54, Twelfth lost 33, Thirteenth lost 4, Fourteenth lost 81, Fifteenth gained 7, Sixteenth gained 2, Seventeenth gained 9, Eighteenth lost 44, Nineteenth gained 40, Twentieth lost 17, and Twenty-first gained 17, showing a decrease of 197 in the city schools.

COREN STOCK BOUGHT BY MESSRS. SCOTT AND NICHOLSON WHO ARE NEGOTIATING A LEASE

The stock of the failed Coren dry goods store, 418-20 Main street, was purchased at a private trustee sale today by N. M. Scott of Minneapolis and A. G. Nicholson of La Porte, Ind. The consideration is not made public.

Messrs. Scott and Nicholson propose a partnership, under which they will conduct an up-to-date store in the Coren building, arrangements for leasing which are being made this afternoon.

The Coren stock is all new and in fine shape, as the store was restocked at the conclusion of the sale following the recent fire, and the new owners propose to add to it until it is replete with the latest and highest grade goods. Further announcements will be made in a day or two.

"HAPGOOD" OUSTED

CHICAGO, July 17.—The Illinois state labor commission, in session at the Palmer house, yesterday, by unanimous vote, formally revoked the Illinois license of Hapgoods, "the national organization of brain workers," of which H. J. Hapgood of New York is the head. The action was the result of the manifold exposures of the methods by which the concern duped men in search of jobs and leaves Hapgoods criminally liable if an attempt is made to continue his business in Illinois.

NO CHAMPIONSHIP IN OLYMPIC GAMES

CRITICISM OF SCORING IS THE CAUSE

AMERICANS STAND NO SHOW

With the System of Scoring That is Being Used by the Britishers at Olympiad

LONDON, July 17.—Tonight the matter of whether the Olympic championship will be awarded is in the air. It is announced that the statement this afternoon credited to the managers, in which it was declared the team chimpionship would not be awarded, was premature. No further statement will be issued until a meeting of the subcommittee can be had and an official decision reached.

In view of the violent protests by different nations, particularly America, against the Enylish system of scoring the points in the Olympic games, the British Olympia association decided today to award no championships in either stadium or outside events. The Americans are jubilant over the result. Their system of scoring will now be generally recognized, and should other teams win the greatest number of points in recognized field ands track event they will be hailed as champions just as they have been at all former Olympiads. The tug of war event furnished an amusing incident today with the American team getting the worst of the protest of its defeat by the English team. The Englishmen wore heavy boots specially prepared with cleats, which is against the rule. The Americans wore the customary light shoes and were at a decided disadvantage. The decision caused much unfavorable comment.

America is now behind and stood no show of winning the Olympic championship according to the system of scoring points by the English sporting papers. This system gives equal prominence to every sporting contest carried out under the auspices of the British Olympic association, scoring one point each for the first, and ignoring seconds and thirds. In the regular track and field events, however, the Yankees seem certain winners and with the American A. A. A. rules of scoring adhered to, the Americans seem certain of winning by even a larger margin than they stacked up at Athens two years ago.

"We didn't come over here to play ping pong, mumble peg, swing Indians clubs, or engage in gymnastic stunts," said one of the American athletes today. "If the English system is followed the Olympiad will degenerate into a vaudevile performance."

The American team is disgusted with the small attendance and declare any small town in America would outdraw London with such an attraction. The exorbitant prices are blamed for the small crowds.

Today's programs didn't promise much in the way of sport, the final in the ten-mile walk and the Javelin throw, being the only events which interested the Americans. They didn't have hopes of figuring strongly in either.

Results.

100 meter backstroke swim, semifinals: Biebertsern, Germany, won the first heat, time 1:25 3-4; Haresmape, England, second heat, time, 1:28 1-5.

Ten-mile walk, final: Won by G. E. Larner, England; time, 1:15:57 2-5.

Javelin throw, middiehold, sections 1 and 2: Nilson, Sweden, first; 154 feet, 6 inches.

Final: Leming, Sweden, first; 179 feet, 10 inches. This beats his own Olympic record.

Tug of war, one pull: England

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FEAR EXTORTION WOULD HURT TAFT

SO RAILROADS WILL NOT RAISE RATES NOW

HARRIMAN'S AVARICE LOSES

Though They All "Neeed the Money" They Think it Best to Wait Before They "Touch" the People

NEW YORK, July 17.—Fearing a disturbance to business which might cost the republican candidate thousands of votes in the coming campaign, the heads of all the big eastern trunk lines have refused to raise their rates at this time. E. H. Harriman who advocated the move, stands today defeated.

President Baer, of the Reading road, led the opposition to Harriman in an all day fight in the rooms of the Eastern Trunk Lines Traffic association here. Harriman declared the increase of rates was vital to the success of the Erie and kindred lines, and he was seconded by Vice President Brown of the New York Central.

"We need the money," said President Underwood of the Erie, "but the question is whether this is the time to make an increase."

The conference decided it was not and refusing further comment, he departed.

Opposition by Roosevelt to the proposed increase, and the bitter fight the National Manufacturers' association will make against higher rates, while not admittedly the cause of the action of the road heads, is generally believed to have had influence. The fact that the manufacturers' traffic committee is to meet in Chicago in a day or two is declared to have acted as a deterrent force.

MRS. TAFT IS ALLY OF JUDGE TO TRIM DOWN LONG SPEECH

HOT SPRINGS, Va., July 17.—In his struggles to condense his speech of acceptance from 10,000 to 3,500 words, Mr. Taft has enlisted an effective ally. Today Mrs. Taft started to trim off the edges of some of the phrases.

"Mrs. Taft is a strong advocate of brevity," said the candidate. "She says my best speeches were the shortest ones, and she will lend a hand in cutting my effort down."

That substantial progress has been made was shown by Taft agreeing to play golf late today with M. E. Ingalls, who is here for the summer.

STANDARD'S HEAD BEGS FOR MERCY

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 17.—If Theodore Roosevelt had never done anything else during his administration as president the United States, it would be quite sufficient to know that he had brought the Standard Oil companl, the once powerful and arrogant "system," down to its marrow bones begging for mercy. This is exactly what has happened within a short time. The Standard Oil company, staggered by the imposition of the fine of $29,000,000 imposed upon it by Judge Landis of Chicago, and fearing a similar outcome to other suits still to be tried, has been begging for mercy. Thus far it has been turned down.

NEW TEACHERS AT HIGH SCHOOL

The High school faculty will show a great change at the beginning of the new term as many teachers have left the school and as many new ones have been engaged. The new teachers are as follows: Mr. F. C. Hodgson, Miss Lena F. Morey, Miss Grace M. Collins, Miss Louise C. Brown, Albert H. Butler, Cora Desmond, Ella A. Matthews and Jonathan Piper.

WISCONSIN MAN LEADS THE HOSTS OF PROHIBITION

CHICAGOAN FORMERLY OF WAUKESHA IS CHOSEN

E. W. CHAFIN IS DARK HORSE

Badger Lecturer and Scholar Surprises the "Drys"—Wakens Vice—The Platform

COLUMBUS, O., July 17.—In the most spectacular finish ever witnessed in a political convention the prohibitionists last evening nominated Eugene W. Chafin, formerly of Wisconsin and now of Chicago for president, and A. F. Watkins of Ada, O., for vice president, and after a "comedy of errors" lasting from the first ballot on the presidency to the final adjournment.

Mr. Chafin was a dark horse and, until his name was presented to the convention by a delegate from Nebraska had not been spoken of as a candidate for the presidency. He ran a poor second to William Palmore of St. Louis on the first ballot, half way overhauled him on the second and swept the whole show actors and spectators, off their feet on the third ballot receiving a unanimous nomination on motion of Mr. Palmore himself.

For some reason the delegates seemed to be dead sure that Palmore had been nominated on the first ballot and they started a real demonstration. He was congratulated and bulletins were sent out announcing his nomination. But the chairman announced that Mr. Palmore was sixty-nine votes short of the nomination and a second ballot was taken.

Palmore by Acclamation

Upon motion of N. Morton Clarke of Michigan the delegates ceased cheering just long enough to nominate Mr. Palmore vice president by a mighty yell of acclamation.

It came so suddenly that the Missourian had not time to protest. If there had been a ballot he probably would have withdrawn his name. Before he could open his mouth, or rather before he could close it, the delegates had picked him up bodily and carried him to a place on the platform beside the smiling victor. When finally able to make himself heard, Palmore positively declined to run, and thos made necessary a reassembling of the disorganized delegates

Many had already left the hall, worn out by the exertion of the afternoon and evening and almost starved by their long fast. It was an exhausted body of men who were present when Chairman Scanlan called for nominations for the vice presidency. The first name presented subsequent to this thunder clip was that of A. S. Watkins of the Ohio normal university of Ada, O., nominated for governor of Ohio by the state convention last Tuesday. He was nominated on the first ballot.

The Platform.

The platform follows:

"The prohibition party of the United States, assembled in convention at Columbus, O., July 15 and 16, 1908, expressing gratitude to Almighty God for the victories of our principles in the past, for encouragement at present, and for confidence of early and triumphant success in the future, makes the following declaration of principles and pledges their enactment into law when placed in power:

"1—The submission by congress to the several states of an amendment to the federal constitution prohibiting the manufacture, sale, importation, exportation or transportation of alcoholic liquors for beverage purposes.

"2—The immediate prohibition of the liquor traffic for beverage purposes in the District of Columbia, in the territories and all places over which the national government has jurisdiction, the repeal of the internal revenue tax on alcoholic liquors, and the prohibition of interstate traffic therein.

"The election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.

"4—Equitable graduated income and inheritance taxes.

"5—The establishment of postal savings banks and the guaranty of deposits in banks.

"6—The regulaton of all corporations doing an interstate commerce business.

"7—The creation of a permanent tariff commission.

"8—The strict enforcement of law instead of the official tolerance and practical license of the social evil which prevails in many of our cities, with its unspeakable traffic in girls.

"9—Uniform marriage and divorce laws

"10—An equitable and constitutional employers' liability act.

"11—Court review of postoffice department decisions.

"12—The prohibition of child labor in mines, workshops and factories.

"13—Legislation basing suffrage

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WHAT DOES LABOR MOVEMENT MEAN IN THE CAMPAIGN?

WILL GOMPERS AND MITCHELL BE ABLE TO CONTROL

PAST FAILS TO SHOW IT

But Radical Labor Plank in Bryan Platform May Prove Effective for Purpose

Washington Bureau of
The La Crosse Tribune.
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 16.
(By J. C. Welliver.)

Organized labor as a political factor will be on trial during the presidential campaign of this year, as the situation is viewed by students of public affairs. Should the results indicate beyond reasonable doubt that it did not exert a potent influence in the election, neither the republican nor democratic party will hereafter give any but perfunctory ear to the demands of the working men. It has been commonly said in late years that organized labor cut but a very small figure in political matters, but there has been no occasion such as now confronts the leaders of the toilers to demonstrate whether this assertion is true or false.

Must Support Democratic Ticket.

As the politicians see it, the unions have nothing left to them, if they are to be logical, except to support the democratic ticket. President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, and his associates left Chicago entirely dissastisfied with the anti-injunction plank of the republican party. At Denver the resolutions committee seemingly capitulated to the labor forces. Reports from that city say that Gompers and his fellows were thoroughly satisfied with the platform, so far as the interests of labor were concerned; so that it would seem that there was nothing left for them to do than to throw the weight of their influence to Bryan and Kern, as well as to endeavor to bring about the election of a democratic house.

Gompers Advocates Bryan Ticket.

How far President Gompers will go in his advocacy of the Bryan ticket remains to be seen. The Federation of Labor up to date, in its political activities, has not gone to the extent

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Weather and Water



Coolest at La Crosse, 68; warmest, 84; wind, 6 miles; rainfall, .66 inch.

Warmest in U. S.—Pierre, 98 degrees.

The river will probably fall slightly during the next 48 hours.

Stage of water at La Crosse, 9.1, a fall of .2 foot; at Prairie du Chien, 12.6, a fall of .1 foot.

Weather forecasts today:

Wiscinon—Fair and cooler tonight; cooler Saturday.

Minnesota—Fair and cooler tonight, except showers extreme northeast portion; Saturday fair and cooler.

Iowa—Fair and cooler tonight and Saturday.

Weather Conditions

The depression in the northwest yesterday morning has moved to the upper lake region and has caused showers and thunderstorms from the Dakotas to the lower lakes, with higher temperature east of Minnesota and lower temperature throughout the northwest. The continued easterly drift of this low will result in fair and cooler weather in this section tonight and Saturday. The pressure is high in the Atlantic states and over the Pacific slope.

The following 24-hour rainfalls (in inches) is reported: Marquette, 1:20; Charles City, 2.52; Stillwater, 1.10; Dubuque, 1.22; Prairie du chien, 2.66; Keokuk, 1.12.



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Wrap laces smoothly around large bottle covered with flannel. Then cover with cheesecloth and "catch" with white thread. Put into a pan of cold Peosta Soap Suds, enough to cover bottle. Bring slowly to boiling point, pour off suds and repeat until suds remain clean. Rinse in several (cold) waters. Allow lace to remain on bottle until perfectly dry.

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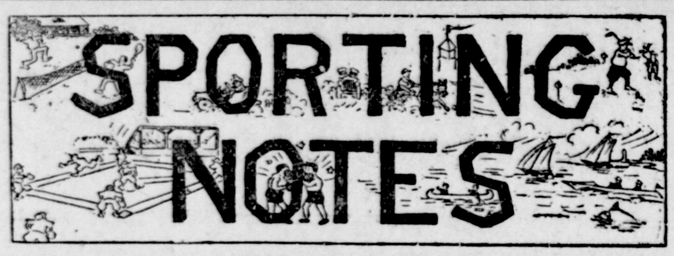
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ISBELL'S HOME RUN WINS FOR CHICAGO

CARDINALS LOST TO PHILADELPHIA BY SCORE OF 7 to 4

NEW YORK DEFEATS CUBS

Brewers Fall Before the Millers, and Go to Seventh Place—Kansas City Defeats Saints

Games Today.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
St. Paul in Milwaukee.
Minneapolis in Kansas City.
Columbus in Indianapolis.
Toledo in Louisville.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Chicago in Boston.
Detroit in Philadelphia.
Cleveland in Washington.
St. Louis in New York.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
New York in Chicago.
Boston in Pittsburg.
Brooklyn in Cincinnati.
Philadelphia in St. Louis.

Yesterday's Results.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Minneapolis, 4; Milwaukee, 1.
Toledo, 5; Indianapolis, 2.
Kansas City, 3; St. Paul, 2.
Columbus, 5; Louisville, 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Washington, 6; Cleveland, 1.
Chicago, 2; Boston, 0.
Philadelphia, 5; Detroit, 3.
New York, 10; St. Louis, 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
New York, 4; Chicago, 3.
Philadelphia, 7; St. Louis, 4.
Brooklyn, 8; Cincinnati, 4.
Pittsburg 6, Boston 2.

Club Standings.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	55	35	.611
Toledo	50	38	.568
Columbus	50	40	.556
Louisville	49	40	.551
Minneapolis	44	41	.519
Kansas City	40	51	.440
Milwaukee	39	52	.429
St. Paul	29	59	.330

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	47	33	.588
St. Louis	46	34	.575
Chicago	45	35	.563
Cleveland	44	35	.557
Philadelphia	38	38	.500
Boston	36	44	.450
Washington	31	47	.397
New York	30	50	.375

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	48	32	.600
New York	47	32	.595
Chicago	45	33	.577
Cincinnati	42	39	.519
Philadelphia	36	37	.493
Boston	35	44	.443
Brooklyn	30	46	.395
St. Louis	29	49	.372

A home run by Isbell yesterday won the game for Chicago against Boston. Altrock pitched for the Sox and allowed but four hits. Philadelphia won from the Tigers 5 to 3. New York walloped the Browns by the score of 10 to 1 and Washington won from Cleveland.

In the National League New York defeated the Cubs by the score of 4 to 3. Brooklyn won from the Reds by the score of 8 to 4 and Pittsburg defeated Boston by the score of 6 to 2. Philadelphia again defeated the Cardinals, taking the game with the score of 7 to 4.

In the American association the Millers defeated the Brewers yesterday, sending the Milwaukee team into seventh place. Toledo won from Indianapolis, Columbus won from Louisville and Kansas City defeated the Saints.

National League Games.

At Pittsburg:	R	H	E
Pittsburg	10001121*	—6	11 4
Boston	001001000	—2	6 0

Batteries—Willis and Gibson; Lindaman, Boultes and Smith.

At St. Louis:	R	H	E
St. Louis	000000103	—4	10 3
Philadelphia	302000011	—7	10 0

Batteries—Lush and Bliss; Corridan and Dooin.

At Cincinnati:	R	H	E
Cincinnati	010100110	—4	13 6
Brooklyn	004000040	—8	6 0

At Chicago:	R	H	E
Chicago	000000102	—3	7 3
New York	20002000*	—4	8 1

Batteries—Reulbach and Moran; Crandall, McGinnity, Mathewson and Bresnahan.

American League Games.

At Washington:	R	H	E
Washington	031000200	—6	7 1
Cleveland	000000010	—1	5 1

Batteries—Hughes and Warner; Liebhardt Ryan and Betts.

At Boston:	R	H	E
Boston	000000000	—0	4 0
Chicago	000200000	—2	8 0

Battries—Morgan, Cicotte and Carrigan: Altrock and W. Sullivan.

At Philadelphia:	R	H	E
Philadelphia	2001110*	—5	11 0
Detroit	000110010	—3	8 2

Batteries—Plank and Powers; Donovan and Schmidt.

At New York:	R	H	E
New York	200710000	—10	13 1
St. Louis	000000001	— 1	7 3

Batteries—Graham, Pelty, Spencer and Blue.

American Association Games.

At Milwaukee:	R	H	E
Milwaukee	000000001	—1	5 1
Minneapolis	002010001	—4	7 0

Batteries—Manske and Roth; Fiene and Block.

At Indianapolis:	R	H	E
Indianapolis	1000000010	—2	7 1
Toledo	1010000003	—5	10 2

Batteries—Marquard and Livingston; Sutthoff and Abbott.

At Columbus:	R	H	E
Columubs	01022000*	—5	13 1
Louisville	000000000	—0	2 2

Batteries—Taylor and Fohl; Puttmann, Adams and Pietz.

At Kansas City:	R	H	E
St. Paul	1001000	—2	6 0
Kansas City	001020*	—3	9 0

Batteries—LeRoy and Laughlin; Brandon and Sullivan.

LA CROSSE WINS IN GREEN BAY OPENER

FLYNN HELPS WIN HIS OWN GAME

GREEN BAY TEAM SHUT OUT

Only One Man Reached Third Base and Lack of a Hit Caused His "Death" There

Games Today.

Rockford in Oshkosh.
Freeport in Fond du Lac.
Madison in Wausau.
La Crosse in Green Bay.

Yesterday's Results.

Fond du Lac 7, Freeport 2.
Oshkosh 5, Rockford 0.
La Crosse 7, Green Bay 0.
Madison 7, Wausau 0.

Club Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Wausau	36	21	.632
Freeport	35	26	.574
La Crosse	32	28	.533
Madison	31	29	.517
Green Bay	27	27	.500
Fond du Lac	32	32	.500
Oshkosh	26	36	.419
Rockford	25	35	.417

GREEN BAY, Wis., July 17.—(Special.)—The visitors won the first of the series here yesterday by heavy stick work and fast playing. Flynn was in the box for La Crosse and pitched an excellent game, holding the locals safe at all times. Only one man reached the third sack and died there in want of a hit. McKlosky opened the game for the locals, but was wild and was replaced by Hall who was unable to keep the ex-Champs under control. One of the features of the game was a home run by Second Baseman Bond with two men on bases. Bues, who has been getting two and three hits every game since La Crosse has been on the road, kept up his hitting yesterday in getting two safeties. Becker played a fast fielding game accepting nine chances without an error Flynn, the La Crosse pitcher, assisted in winning his own game by swatting the ball for two safe hits and bringing in two runs. Saxes, a new man, was tried out at third base by Pickett.

The score:

La Crosse.	R	H	P	A	E
Safford, cf	1	1	2	0	0
Bond, 2b	2	1	0	2	0
Bues, 3b	1	2	0	0	1
Duchien, rf	1	1	2	1	1
Becker, ss	0	2	5	4	0
Killian, c	0	0	7	1	0
Tracey, 1b	0	1	9	0	0
Graves, lf	0	0	2	0	0
Flynn, p	2	2	0	3	0
Totals	7	10	27	11	2

Green Bay.	R	H	P	A	E
Boyle, 2b	0	1	2	8	0
Putnam, fc	0	0	0	0	0
Stickney, rf	0	2	0	0	0
Hammond, ss	0	1	2	3	0
Saxes, 3b	0	0	2	0	1
McAuley, 1b	0	0	13	0	0
Kernan, lf	0	0	3	0	0
Morrison, c	0	0	5	0	0
McKloskey, p	0	1	0	1	0
Hall, p	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	0	6	27	12	1

La Crosse .....000240010—7
Green Bay .....000000000—0

Left on bases—La Crosse, 9; Green Bay, 4. Home run—Bond. Two base hit—Flynn. Struck out—By Flynn, 5; by McKloskey, 1; by Hall, 3. Double plays—Flynn, Becker, Tracey. Time of game—1:40 Umpire—Cunley.

Madison, 7; Wausau, 0

WAUSAU, Wis., July 17.—After the bombardment of La Crosse the Lumberjacks were out of ammunition and only got three little hits from Leise yesterday. The feature was the general pleasure the crowd got out of seeing all the players except Catcher Erickson playing in strange positions. Score:

Wausau—	R	H	P	A	E
Miller, cf-3b	0	0	1	0	0
Grodneck, sslf	0	1	1	2	1
McAuley, 3b-cf	0	1	3	1	0
Gardner, lf-2b	0	0	2	0	0
Fox, 2b-p	0	0	4	5	0
Brady, 1b-ss	0	0	11	0	0
Erickson, c	0	1	2	2	0
Ferguson, rf-1b	0	0	1	0	0
Gums, p-rf	0	0	2	4	1
Totals	0	3	27	14	2

Madison—	R	H	P	A	E
Howell, cf	2	2	1	0	0
Leise, p	0	0	1	0	0
Letcher, lf	2	3	0	0	0
Whitmore, 1b	1	1	8	0	0
Mee, 2b	0	3	0	4	0
Armstrong, 3b	0	0	1	1	1
Cook, ss	1	1	3	2	1
Smith, c	1	1	12	1	0
Shaw, rf	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	7	12	27	8	2

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Wausau .....000000000—0
Madison .....100132000—7

Two-base hits—Howell, McAuley. Three-base hit—Letcher. Sacrifice hits—Leise, Whitmore, Armstrong, Staw. Struck out—By Gums, 2; by Leise, 1. Bases on balls—Gums, 1. Umpire—List.

Oshkosh, 5; Rockford, 0

OSHKOSH, Wis., July 17.—Oshkosh knocked Palmer out of the box yesterday and won the game 5 to 0. Burwell allowed the visitors but two hits. Score:

Oshkosh—	R	H	P	A	E
Bauer, cf	0	0	2	0	0
Johnson, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Dolan, 3b	1	0	0	2	0
Curtis, 1b	0	2	12	1	0
Nichols, rf	1	0	1	0	0
Warren, c	1	2	7	0	0
Anklam, 2b	0	1	3	2	0
Groh, ss	1	2	0	3	0
Burwell, p	0	1	2	3	0
Totals	5	8	27	11	0

Rockford—	R	H	P	A	E
Kaphan, cf	0	0	1	0	0
Olson, lf	0	0	1	0	0
Rorabaugh, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Butcher, 2b	0	0	0	2	0
Hutton, 1b	0	0	12	0	0
Sullivan, 3b	0	1	2	3	1
Otis, c	0	0	2	1	1
Wallace, ss	0	1	3	2	0
Palmer, p	0	0	2	2	0
Schurch, p	0	0	1	5	0
Totals	0	2	24	15	2

Oshkosh .....31100000*—5
Rockford .....000000000—0

Summary: Two base hits—Curtis, Sullvan. Bases on balls—Off Burwell, 2; off Palmer, 1; off Schurch, 4. Hit by pitched ball—Bauer, Groh. Double plays—Palmer to Hutton; Schurch to Wallace to Hutton. Struck out—By Burwell, 7; by Palmer, 1; by Schurch, 1. Stolen bases—Bauer, Johnson, Dolan 2, Warren, Groh. Sacrifice hit—Bauer. Umpire—Fuller. Time—1:43.

Fond du Lac, 7; Freeport, 2.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., July 17.—Fond du Lac had their batting eye and batted Cummings and Scott out of the box. Stang's home run was the feature of the game. Score:

Fond du Lac.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Kroy, cf	1	3	1	0	0
Lynch, ss	1	1	1	4	0
Schaub, lf	1	1	3	0	0
Stang, 'c	1	3	5	1	0
McDonnell, 3b	1	1	1	2	0
Zackert, rf	1	1	1	0	0
Crockett, 1b	0	0	11	0	0
Wisser, 2b	0	1	4	2	0
Leize, p	1	2	0	4	1
Totals	7	13	27	13	1

Freeport.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Ireland, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Ives, cf	0	2	2	0	0
Fiske, ss	0	0	3	3	1
Rouse, rf	0	1	1	0	0
Harrod, 3b	0	1	1	1	0
Stark, c	0	1	6	1	0
Schoonhoven, 2b	0	0	2	2	2
Barlow, 1b	1	1	9	0	0
Cummings, p	0	1	0	1	0
Scott, p	0	0	0	0	0
Darrah, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	2	7	24	8	3

Fond du Lac .....10003120*—7
Freeport .....100010000—2

Summary: Three base hit—Kroy. Two base hit—Harrod. Home run—Stang. Stolen bases—Ireland, Ives, McDonnell, Zackert, Kroy. Sacrifice hits—Lynch, Ives, Cummings. Bases on balls—Off Cummings, 2; off Leize, 3. Struck out—By Cummings, 2; by Darrah, 1; by Leize, 4. Time—1:50. Umpire—Busch.

BLACK MARKS FOR TWO AUTOS

MILFORD, Pa., July 17—The sixth of the twelve of actual running days was completed by the aspirants for honors in the Glidden and Hower automobile trophy contests with but two penalties, one of which was a perfect score Hower entry. Lockwood in the Reo runabout No. 101, was the victim in the run from Philadelphia. His penalty was for lost time, twelve points being charged for as many minutes behind schedule.

The other recipient of black marks during the day was the 110 Overland, which broke a frame Monday. It became necessary to repair the car again and thirty-three minutes and points were lost. There were no changes whatever in the standing of the Glidden touring machines, and it loks now by the way the cars are running that there will be more than two teams tied at the end of the regular 1,700-mile journey. The betting has gone up to 3 to 1 in favor of the run-off.

RINGLING BROS.' CIRCUS AT LA CROSSE TUESDAY, JULY 21ST

Ringling Bros. Circus will show at La Crosse on uesday, July 21st. For this occasion there will be special train service via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway on the Southern Minnesota Division, between Lanesboro, Minnesota and La Crosse. Special train leaves Lanesboro at 7:50 a. m., stopping at all intermediate stations. Returning special train leaves La Crosse at 8:35 p. m., also stopping at all stations. Ask your local agent about railroad fare and train service.

F. R. HARTWELL,
Tkt. Agt., La Crosse, Wis.

MINORS REFUSE TO GIVE UP

PARIS, Ill., July 16.—A meeting of the Eastern Ilinois league directors was held here. The franchise forfeited by Pana was transferred to Linton, Ind. The league season will be split, half going to Danville. The teams will start on Friday with a clear slate for the second half. The winner will play off with Danville at the close of the season. Shelbyville, which had about closed the sale of its franchise to Stnaon, decided to remain in the league owing to financial encouragement.

WRITER'S WIDOW QUITS FRISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 17.—Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson has sold her home on Lombard street hill and will remove to Santa Barbara, where she has purchased a country home. Mrs. Stevenson received $25,000 for her house, which was built after an original design and was richly decorated with Samoan tapestry and weapons. The house was saved during the great fire by members of the Bohemian club, who carried water in buckets.

Let him who has deserved the palm bear it.—Latin.

Anger resteth in the bosom of fools.—Bible.



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3—Wed	6,390	18—Thurs	6,391
4—Thurs	6,380	19—Fri	6,396
5—Fri	6,380	20—Sat	6,387
6—Sat	6,420	21—Sunday	
7—Sunday		22—Mon	6,384
8—Mon	6,379	23—Tues	6,381
9—Tues	6,385	24—Wed	6,409
10—Wed	6,376	25—Thurs	6,407
11—Thurs	6,371	26—Fri	6,377
12—Fri	6,409	27—Sat	6,406
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FRANK H. BURGESS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this thirtieth day of June, 1908.

A. E. BLEEKMAN, Notary Public.

Remember The Saengerfest, La Crosse, Wis., July 23, 24, 25 and 26.

A COMPARATIVE VIEW.

The Minneapolis Tribune—republican, judicious and usually fair—extends some rather conservative sympathy to those republicans who feel that Mr. Sherman's selection for second place on the republican ticket has placed Mr. Taft at a disadvantage. The Minneapolis paper does not enthuse over Sherman, but wants to know who is this Kern that Sherman is such a pigmy in comparson. Its view is that—maybe—Kern is not greater than Sherman. Anyway, Sherman, it believes, is known, while Kern may be great, or small, for all anybody can tell from the record. However, the editor evades one point, the point upon which Mr. Sherman is most criticised. It is the question of whether one of these men is a friend of monopoly and the other the friend of the "dear people." The editorial is in part as follows:

"Vice presidential values are relative, like all others. Many republicans considered Representative Sherman doubtfully as a possible successor to the presidency. These may take some comfort in contemplating the democratic nominee.

"Representative Sherman has had the training of congressional service for twenty years. Mr. Kern has held no higher office than that of state senator for Indiana. That is not his fault nor his party's fault. It is the fault of the people of the state, who will not trust the democracy with its government. He is the acknowledged head of the Indiana democracy, having received its vote for governor twice and for United States senator once.

"'This type of politician is common in close and doubtful states, where the minority is encouraged by constant hope to maintain a strong organization and to keep its ablest men in the barren station of leadership. Able men consent to hold this barren station because the chance of any election may convert it into one of real power.

"We do not know how able a man Mr. Kern is, but democratic politicians of considerable power, like Hendricks, Voorhees and McDonald, have burst upon the nation after long incubation in the obscurity of Indiana minorities.

"There must be something in Kern or he would not remain the party leader after two overwhelming defeats for governor, unless the party wants to shelve him in order to get a candidate who can be elected. It is significant that they are talking about the help he will receive from Marshall, the popular democratic candidate for governor.

"His nomination is one of pure expediency, in the hope to carry for Bryan one state outside of the solid south. Yet democrats who desire comfort may compare him favorably with previous nominees for the vice presidency. Surely he is better than the venerable Davis, the forgotten Stevenson, the unknown Sewall.

"Democrats must go back to Mr. Cleveland's first and second nomination to find candidates for the vice presidency much superior to Kern."

The Milwaukee Free Press has a headline, "Taft a Growing Candidate." What! Heavier yet! Sparta Advertiser.

THE CHILTERN HUNDREDS.

This is a survival of the time when the people were very jealous of the crown and were constantly in fear that throne would destroy the independence of the commons by corrupting members with offices, a use of patronage not entirely unknown in present America. To prevent that it was wisely required that a memb r must give his constituents an opportunity to approve or disapprove of his course by expressing their condence by a re-election to parliament or showing their displeasure by defeating him. Of course nowadays a seat in the cabinet is not at the disposal of the sovereign, but is solely the gift of the prime minister, the party chief, so that no question of bribery can enter into the acceptance of a place under the government; but the electorate still reserves to itself the right of approval, and the new minister, after he has accepted office, but before he can take his seat in the house of commons as a minister of the crown, must have the assent of his constituents. Curiously enough—and this is interesting as showing how the English people cling to tradition—there is no provision made for the resignation of a member of parliament, and the only way in which he can resign is for him to accept an office of profit and trust under the government and decline re-election. There is a nominal and fictitious post known as the Stewardship of the Chiltern Hundreds, a district in Buckinghamshire, whose steward some centuries ago was charged with the duty of suppressing robbers, and who was of course compensated for his services. A member who desired to retire or to seek re-election because he has entered the government applies to the prime minister to be appointed steward of the Chiltern Hundred, which vacates his seat. The appointment is duly published in the official gazette and the vacancy in the house of commons is thus created. There is of course no limit to the number of persons who may be appointed stewards of the Chiltern Hundreds, although it is the unwritten law that the appointment must not be conferred twice on the same day. If there were a dozen men who wanted to resign at the same time they would have to take their turn—A. Maurice Low in the July Forum.

ALDRICH OR LA FOLLETTE?

What would have happened had Wisconsin had two progressive senators in the senate, both with ability and vitality, when the fradulent currency bill came up? It would have made political history and possibly had great influence on the Chicago convention. Now we are called upon to name another senator.

Will Wisconsin send a partner for Aldrich or one for La Follette?—Milwaukee Journal.

BIRDS OF A FEATHER

W. D. Connor's paper is supporting Stephenson for senator. Why should it not? Connor and Stephenson are both Scotch Canadians. Both are North Wisconsin men, both lumbermen, both millionaires. Blood is thicker than water except with the Irish—Madison State Journal.

MRS. WINTER ON COMMITTEE

Mrs. Frank Winter is pending a week in Minneapolis. She was appointed to the Zuhraks Ladies' reception committee to welcome visiting shrines and their ladies at Masonic temple.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONFERTNCE

Rev. E. B. Edmunds of Baraboo gave a Sunday school conference at the Tabernacle Baptist church last evening. The conference will be held in the Sunday school rooms and all are invited to attend

TWENTY-FIVE DROWNED.

MANILA, July 17.—Twenty-five persons were drowned yhen a pleasure boat with 75 people aboard went down while going from Manila to Corregidor Island. Three of the victims were Americans. Fifty survivors were rescued by the British steamer Suveric.

A Wife Ready

Little Dorothy could not have paid her father a higher compliment, or better expressed her love for him than when she said, "Papa, I would like to tell you something if you won't tell mamma."

"Why don't you want mamma to know it, daughter?"

"Well you tell her things I say, and she laughs at them, and I don't want her to know this."

"Let papa hear what you have to say anyhow."

"Well, I have often thought that if mamma were to die I would like to marry you."—Delineator.

When the Adamses Move

Mrs. K., while telling her children about Adam and Eve and the beauties of the Garden of Eden, was interrupted by one of the tiny tots saying. "Oh, mamma, when those Adamses move away, let us get that place to live in."—Delineator.

His Initiation

Mr. Hogan—Where did Oi git th' black oye? Oi'm just afther bein' initiated.

Mr. Kelley—Into what society?

Mr. Hogan—Into th' society av me mother-in-law.—Leslie's Weekly.

SPOTLIGHTS

Matinee Saturday

"The Girl From California," said to be one of the very best western dramas ever written and never before presented at cheap prices, will be the bill by the Van Dyke & Eaton company at the La Crosse theater tonight, Saturday and Sunday matinee and night.

Specialties will be given between acts by "Cully and Mips," moving pictures, etc.

"Amateurs" prize contest on Saturday night.

A $4.00 pair of "Walkover" shoes are given away at every performance. The engagement will close on Sunday night.

MR. BARBER PRAYS FOR MORE SMOKE

La Crosse, July 16, 1908.

Editor La Crosse Tribune.

Dear Sir:—An article appeared in your paper last evening, stating that a warrant had been served on W. E. Barber manager of the Modern Steam Laundry, for violating an ordinance in this city called the Smoke Ordinance. I have the pleasure of informing you that your paper was in error, that no warrant has been served upon me nor any member of the Modern Steam Laundry Company to my knowledge. But a notice was served upon me setting forth that we were maintaining a nuisance on our premises, to-wit: That we maintain and operate a power plant and smoke stack in such a manner as to offend some of our citizens.

In answer to the above notice I told the offended gentlemen that we would use our best efforts to abate this nuisance and abide by the laws and edicts as laid down by our city fathers. And so far as has come to our knowledge we have done so, with one exception. A gentleman called us up a few days ago and complained that we were annoying him very much, and that he would certainly have us arrested if we didn't blow our smoke in the direction of the Mississippi river. We appeased his burning wrath by promising him that if he would kindly let us alone until we had burned the remainder of the present car of coal which we have on hand, which would take about two weeks, we would forever afterward burn a grade of coal which would meet his approval.

Now, Mr. Editor, would it not be well for some of these gentlemen who are so unfortunate as to possess such a sentitive nasal cavity, that the fumes of pure burning coal so disturbs their indispensable mucus membrane to look below that dense cloud of smoke and observe the turning wheels and busy machinery that are furnishing employment to an army of working people that are contributing to the income of every business man in this city, be he merchant, professional man or landlord. Most cities are praying for smoke. It is the smoke that makes the city, and the denser the smoke the greater the city. The dense black cloud of smoke which hangs over the business section of Chicago so obscures the rays of the sun at times that the business houses are obliged to turn on and light the city gas many times, in the middle of the day, and still they are praying for more smoke.

Yes, Mr. Editor, there had better be a calling together of all of the progressive business men of "our beautiful city" and offer up our devotion to the business interests of each and every business enterprise in this city, and endeavor to multiply the smoking chimneys until their curling smoke may pour forth and hover over La Crosse until it becomes so dense that the air will reverberate with the music of turning wheels and spindles that we may see the vacant lots that are spread out beneath the shade of towering Grand Daddy built up with homes whose streets and boulevards and the varied surroundings will reflect the intelligence of a happy and prosperous community that thrive from the burning fires that belch forth smoke, smoke smoke. Yes, give us more smoke. Now all together, let's pray for smoke. However, I promise to obey the commandments.

Very truly yours,
W. E. BARBER.

New Arrival (cautiously)—Can I put my valuables in the safe?

St. Peter (loftily)—No necessity for that up here. What are you thinking of?

New Arrival Well I've had so much trouble with some of those impregnable institutions down in New York that I feel kind of nervous.—Life.

QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

Too Many

I knew four girls in Springfield, Mass.,
Long, weary years ago,
And thus some trouble came to pass
As I'll proceed to show.

The girls were witty, sweet and cute,
Adorable and tall.
And seeing each was such a beaut,
I needs must love them all.

It isn't cheap to love quartets,
My friends, for who adores
A bunch like that buys violets
And candy-gifts by fours.

But I—I spent my money free—
They never thought me mean;
Yet ah, all looked so good to me,
I couldn't choose between.

All smiled on me—you bet your life!
All loved me, take my word!
But could they all four be my wife?
The question is absurd.

The years slipped by without a break
As years have ever done;
I could not think just which to take,
And so—ah, me!—took none.

They kissed me goodby now and then,
The Unforgotten Four . . .
Eftsoons they married other men—
And I'm a bacheldore.
—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Genuine Indifference.

"Jack" Abernethy, the Rough Rider, can catch a wolf alive by grabbing its lower jaw with his bare hand.

Mr. Abernethy, on his last visit to Washington, was asked by a reporter for his opinion on a certain political question.

"I can't give you an opinion on that question," the Rough Rider replied, "because it's a question I pay no attention to. I am indifferent to it—as indifferent as the backwoodsman's wife.

"That lady, you know, looked on while her husband had a fierce hand-to-hand tussle with a bear. She said it was 'the only fight she ever saw where she didn't care who won.'"—New York Tribune.

Like a Potato.

Sunday afternoon I overheard Mary and Bert discussing the morning's Sunday school lesson.

Bert, who has all faith in his sister's superior knowledge, eagerly inquired, "Mary, what does God look like?"

I was surprised at Mary's prompt and solemn reply—"Bert, God looks like a potato."

Upon asking the child where she had received such an impression, she replied: "Why you said God has eyes on all sides, and a potato is the only thing I know of that has eyes on all sides."—Delineator.

The Guide's Reward

"Ever since Carleton C. Crane showed Vanderbilt through Chinatown, years ago, he's been sort of expecting a handsome Christmas remembrance," remarked John A. Gill of the New York Central. "Well, he thought he'd got it all-right this morning. An express wagon backed up in front of the office.

"'What you got?' inquired Crane, brightening up.

"'Packages from New York," yelled the driven.

"'What's in 'em?' asked Crane.

"'Money.'

"'Money? How much?'

"'There's 920 pounds of it; $10,000 in Mexican dollars, and—'

"'Well, John,' mumbled Crane thickly, his eyes kind of glistening, 'all I can say is Vanderbilt's a prince.'

"'Say, do I get in through your place to the Mexican Central office?' shouted the driver."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Now the Engagement is Off

She—I've just been to New York for three weeks.

He (absently)—Why didn't you ask for my copy?

Note—All jokes on "Three Weeks" will hereafter be throttled and destroyed.—Cornell Widow.

Others Spell it Chumley

There was a fair golfer named Choimondely,
With a face so uncommonly colmondely
That fellows who came
To join in the game
Could only make tees for her, doimondely.
—Success Magazine.

NEW PRESIDENT OF PANAMA AND WIFE



The little republic of Panama has interested the United States and especially during the last election, when the navy department ordered boats and marines to this republic to assist in preventing any illegitimate voting. The result of the election, the validity of which is without question, was the selection of Don Domingo De Obaldia for president of the republic.

THE IRON LORD

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S. R. CROCKETT.
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Now, with a girl like Vida Bryan—as proud and self-opinionated as Vic Morris himself, with a feminine sensitivenes altogether unguessed at by the man, this was a most unsafe course to pursue. With girls accustomed to obey, it might have proved more successful. But, as a general rule, a man, even when he knows himself to be the stronger, and certain that the victory lies with him, ought to pass the honours over to the woman. Men do not now kneel ceremoniously and offer their all at the beloved's feet. But the well-advised find that this is still the right moral attitude. It pays the man because it elevates a woman in her own estimation. And, if you do that sufficiently and continuously, there are but few things she will deny you. Which are the precepts of the grandfather of Sirach, the man of great diligence in gathering together all grave sentiments. Give, therefore, as much heed, young man, as if you had lived in Egypt under King Euergetes, in the eight-and-thirtieth year of that never-to-be-forgotten monarch's reign.

So each night, in sweet, grey, spring gloaming, tinted tenderly lilac between the black branches of trees on which the green buds were doubtfully forming, in wintry "forenichts," blithe with the coming-and-going of lovers betwixt hamlet and hamlet, the snow crisp underfoot, and the stars corruscating overhead, prompt to the moment Vic Morris appeared at Dick Finnan's gate; swung it back, tramped up the short gravel path, and knocked.

Generally it was Dick himself who came to the door. Every two or three months (according to the leave granted by the Commissioners of Northern Lights) it was a certain Mr. William Bryan, senior keeper of the Wolf Skerry Lighthouse—and, as it were, a member of Vic Morris' own profession.

But it was never Vida who opened.

And the young man searched in his mind for the reason annexed to this fact. He ascertained that she opened to other people. Why not, then, to him? His assurance found the solution—one agreeable to his vanity. Yet Ludovic Morris was not vain. He cared neither for his appearance, nor for the effect it might produce. But, on the other hand, his self-assurance was monumental, and the fear of man was not in him. Which is a good thing, doubtless. But, then, neither was the Fear of Woman—which is a thing infinitely ill.

Vic Morris was a strong man. His influence over the pit-workers was remarkable. He had no trouble with them. No tools or pieces of coal fell from a height on his head. Already he had averted more than one strike. But—he was an advanced politician. The "Confidential" Kahn, and the General Managers, Hector McKill and Walter Grindling, never felt quite at home with him. Somehow they knew that he belonged by sympathy to the toilers. His sympathies were entirely with the forecastle. The afterguard, according to him, could always take care of itself.

Too brilliant at his work of estimating distances, directing new dips and shafts, to be thrown overboard, the higher personel of the Incubus workings eyed him with distrust. Yet in spite of the respect, and even devotion, the men had for him, Vic Morris awakened no great or enthusiastic love among them. He was a just man. He was on their side. What a leader he would make if, with all that he knew and all that he could do, he were fully to cast in his lot with them!

But he neither attracted nor permitted any display of affection or admiration on the part of those under him. He would have regarded it as a breach of discipline. Still, the fact that he went nightly to see "Dick Finnan's Lass" seemed to bring them nearer. For Dick worked alongside them, and was one of themselves. None doubted of the issue. Was he not Master Vic, who knew all there was to be known, and whom they would have followed to the death.

It chanced, late one afternoon in April, a rainy April, when the trees dripped droopily on the dank turf, swelling it up with water like a sponge, and only the pine-needles, pressed close in solid forty-year layers, afforded a safe and dry passage to the cottage at Glebe End, that Viv Morris and Philip Calmont met there for the first time.

Hitherto Phil had been to the successful young engineer only "one of the Doctor's good-for-nothings." Vic Morris had a thorough-going contempt for all kinds of talent which could not be practically applied. He was fond of saying that brains could be expressed either in foot-pounds or pounds sterling, by which he meant either in work done or money earned. It is no wonder, then, that to his sole friend, Mr. Irongray, of the Kirk on the Hill, he often expressed his contempt for the Calmonts.

"A vagrant brood, certainly, but quite harmless," had been the smiling verdict of the Cameronian minister.

"Well, their father is sending them the quickest way to the devil," Vic Morris had declared. "They ought to be put to work. That would tame their vagrancy." Now, for the first time, he beheld a Calmont within striking distance. Phil Calmont was sitting quietly in the window-corner, looking through the tendrils of last year's ivy, and wondering at the little green dabs on Vida's rose-stems—dabs which would be "Rambler" cluster one day—when Morris entered.

They had not been introduced, but little that mattered to Vic Morris, who considered such ceremonies as only for weaklings "suckled in a creed outtown."

The engineer stood a moment in the doorway staring, his shoulders thrown back, his brows bent indignantly, and all his fair hair bristling like a lion's mane. He had the surprised, angry look of some big dog who returns to find a little one (and a stranger) in possession of his bone and carpet.

But he did not leap upon Philip Calmont, who rose with his usual gentle quiet to his feet, and bowed, saying, "Miss Bryan has gone out. Mr. Finnan has not yet arrived. I presume that you have come to see him!"

"Presume!" snorted Viv Morris, his temper suddenly breaking loose. "I should think you do presume! Who are you, sir, to dictate my comings and goings to me? If I choose to come here every night in the year, what is that to you?"

To this Philip Calmont only replied, if possible more gently than before, that he believed that Miss Bryan would be back immediately. Then he reseated himself, and became absorbed in the growth of the geraniums outside the window. They were all moist with the spring showers. Having done his part, and feeling quite sure of his position, he did not trouble his head farther about the quaint, uncertain tempers of Mr. Ludovic Morris. After all, what more natural? He would not have liked such an intrusion himself, even from the rest of his family. But he was trying to act up to little Miss Nunsby's advice to do something for himself. So, characteristically, he was beginning with Vida Bryan.

The furniture of Dick's cottage was all of dull oak, which had descended to him by ordinary generation—the ancient settles and three-legged chairs, polished at back and seat by centuries of hard-worked homespun, moleskin, and corduroy. Except at funerals, broadcloth had never touched them. For a special chair was kept for the minister, covered, according to age, with velvet, or haircloth, or cretonne. But furniture of that kind never wears out. Doubtless some remote Finnan, away back in the time of the Covenant, had made it—chair and dresser and four-poster—with adze and plane and turning-wheel he made it to be in readiness to receive his sober Cameronian bride. And, like their furniture, the Finnans had remained Cameronian ever since.

That night, when Vic Morris and the Doctor's third son were first brought face to face, Vic growling like an angry mastiff and Phil gazing serenely through the darkening window, the kitchen-parlour or house-place of Glebe End was full of quaint moony reflections. Old oak furniture and panelling with firelight glinting on them conduce to mystery. The evening fire in preparation for Dick's supper burned on the hearth far back, and once Phil rose with his easy air to replenish it, which caused Vic to spit like an angry cat.

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MILWAUKEE ROAD ANNOUNCES IMPROVED SERVICE

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Arriving in Milwaukee in Time to Connect with the Afternoon Train for Chicago

Official word has been received at the local office of the Milwaukee railroad announcing that the new passenger train No. 8 will be put on Monday morning. The train which will be made up here will leave here at 6 a. m. and arrive at Milwaukee at 1:15 p. m., making connections with No. 8 which leaves Milwaukee at 1:45 p. m. and arrives at Chicago at 3:55 p. m.

The new passengers will do local work between here and Milwaukee, relieving No. 6 east of Portage. No. 6 leaves La Crosse at 12:30 and arrives at Milwaukee at 7:20. This new train will supply the demand for a local morning train between La Crosse and Milwaukee, enabling a person to go to Milwaukee and return the same day. It will also give the small towns along the line another train and as there is but one local at present, it will be a welcome addition.

The new time cards are expected today.

There has been considerable talk regarding the new train and it has been rumored for some time that the train would be put on, but the official announcement was received today after an anxious wait of several months.

NEWSBOY STOPS A STREET CAR

A bunch of newspapers caused a street car to leave the track on St. Cloud street about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The papers were being taken to the north side by a boy to be delivered. When the place was reached the boy shoved the heavy bundle off the moving car. The papers rolled under the rear trucks, derailing the car and delaying the traffic for nearly an hour. The car was finally replaced and the traffic again resumed.



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HAVE TROUBLE IN LAKE PEPIN

Joseph Gohres returned from a visit to St. Paul in Bob Henry's boat. The rest of the party will arrive today. Mr. Gohres left them at Wabasha, proceeding the rest of the way by train. The boat experienced some difficulty in Lake Pepin on account of the high waves and the party was compelled to wait until evening before they could proceed.

Now don't you think you were silly to get so mad when the furnace fire went out last winter?

BISHOP ANNOUNCES DIOCESAN CHANGES

REV CHAS. FRIES GOES TO SUMMIT, WIS., CHURCH

OTHER CHANGES ARE MADE

Several New Churches are Filled and Changes Come from Bishopric in This City

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Schwebach has announced the changes for the La Crosse diocese of the Catholic church and the pastorates of those recently ordained. Charles Fries, brother of Comptroller W. J. Fries, has been sent to Summit, to take charge of the church at that place.

The changes that have been made by Bishop Schwebach are the following: Rev. W. Hackner, who has had charge of the church at Aubendale will take the church at Bakersville; Rev. T. J. Schumacher will be changed from Bakersville to Auberndole; Rev. August Daugen has been changed from Loyal to Vau Galle; Rev. Joseph Stenz from Fairview to Loyal; Rev. John Rayski from Cassel to Siegel; Rev. F. X. Orthen from Waumandee to the hospital at Wausau; Rev. John Neises will be changed from Summit to Dorchester; Rev. M. Wernerus from Keysville to Fairview.

Those who will occupy positions at new churches are Charles Fries at Summit, Rev. John Karcz at Castle and Rev. Peter Weber at Waumandee.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS BY ROSE TERRILL



A dainty little pale blue chambray gown stained with wild strawberry juice reminds one that the time of stains from fruit, mildew and rust is at hand and that a talk on the care of colored garments would be timely. The little dress had never been washed, and the color was so delicate that the usual method of removing fruit stains by pouring hot water through until the desired result be attained seemed impracticable, as the delicate color would probably fade in the process. A little molasses was rubbed in and after a brief soaking was rubbed between the hands until the stains were all out. The little dress was then washed in cold water to remove all syrup, after which it was soaked in a half gallon of water, in which an ounce of alum had been dissolved to "set" the color. This will serve for almost any of the dainty ginghams and chambrays so desirable for children's clothing.

A half pint of salt in two gallons of water will fix the colors also, and is cheaper, but it is not quite so sure. Where delicate pinks, blues and grays have faded in washing, try baking them in water slightly acid with either lemon juice, cider, vinegar or acetic acid. It is always best to try a bit of the goods first and if one acid will not restore the color try another. Fruit stains of all kinds can usually be removed from white goods by the use of boiling wter, but when they are obstinate try diluted oxalic acid. The acid must be washed out at once or it will rot the goods. Grass stains may be treated in the same way as the strawberry stans, with molasses. White garments that have grass stains may be washed in ammonia water. But stains may be removed by using a mixture of lemon juice and salt, placing garments in the sun and repeat until the stains are faded out. Oxalic acid also remove rust stains, but must be handled carefully or the goods will be injured. Milk or cream stains will often be fixed if the garment is put in warm or soapy water, but will come out at once if washed in cold water, which also removes sewing machine grease. To remove wine stains wash in sweet milk. Ink stains can sometimes be removed in the same way, but if the garment is not colored oxalca cid is a sure remedy.

A scorch may be removed by hanging the garment in the sun. If obstinate, wet the scorch with acid water and hang in the sun.

Diluted peroxide of hydrogen is a simple bleach for white clothes that have become yellowed and stained by poor washing.

The housekeeper who makes a list of simple stains and remedies and keeps it in her laundry will save herself much worry and loss of time. Remember, too, that a fresh stain is easier to remove than one that has dried in. Do not leave the oxalic acid nor the acetic acid in the laundry, as it must be used judiciously and only under the supervision of the housekeeper. Strong soaps are not good for washing colored clothes. And the use of blueing must be looked after. A pink, green, tan or cream colored garment must never be blued.

Simply made white clothes for children are the most economical in the long run, as they neither suffer from stain nor fading, but all children like the dainty ginghams, so the housemother must arm herself in advance and be prepared to come to the rescue at any time. And remember that scolding never removed a stain from a little garment, and may cloud a happy memory that would some day make your heart glad.

CONGRESS SPENT $1,08,3 7,543.56

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 17.—A grand total of $1,008,397,543.56 is shown in the summary of appropriations of the first session of the Sixtieth congress, which has just been completed by Thos. P. Cleaves, James C. Courts, chief clerks, respectively of the senate and house committees on appropriations, in accordance with the law requiring such publication at the end of each session.

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The Woodmen of the World, Rose Grove chapter No. 4, will give an ice cream social on Reed's lawn, 1721 Charles street, this evening.

Mrs. E. Dowell of Kane street left today for a few weeks' visit with friends at Wabasha.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Green of Briel Prairie were guests at the home of T. L. Vought of Loomis street.

Mrs. J. Knabe of Wabasha who has been visiting at the home of E. Dowell of Kane street, has returned to her home.

Mr. A. Anderson of Kane street has left for a few days' business at Sparta.

Mrs. J. B. Callahan of Wood streeet left for an extended visit with relatives and friends at Saratoga, N. Y.

The Young Men's Singing club of the St. John's church will hold a special meeting this evening. Plans will be made for a picnic to be given soon.

The Rose Circle of the W. O. W. will give an ice cream social on Reed's lawn on Charles street this evening.

Mrs. W. H. Paul, 1546 Charles street, has returned from a visit with her son at Freeport.

Mrs. W. Fitzpatrick has returned from a visit with friends at Sparta.

The condition of Bert Marshall who was operated on for appendicitis at the La Crosse hospital, remains about the same.

One day little Tommy came running in from his play, and in excitement cried, "Mamma, mamma, if just my soul goes to heaven, what am I going to button my pants on to?"

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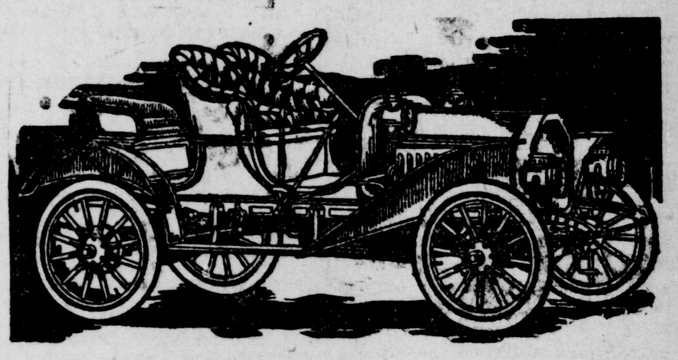
ST. PAUL, Minn., July 17.—The mammoth civic parade today was the feature of the week's festivities of the Shriners. The military and civic organizations in line numbered 4,000, with over 40 floats.

A full dress reception is to be given tonight at the Auditorium and a grand ball at the Armory. Many Shriners are preparing to go home Saturday.

RELAY RUNNERS BEAT SCHEDULE

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QUOTES TAFT AND BRYAN

Also Presents Statements Purporting to Come From a Statesman of Wide Note

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 17.—The National Model License league has issued a brief statement purporting to show the relationship of prohibition to politics and labor, as illustrated by the recent utterances of men who are most prominent today in the public eye. The league publishes what it says is a statement from William Jennings Bryan to the effect that the liquor question is not a national issue, but that the only time that Mr. Bryan ever had occasion to vote on the question of state-wide prohibition, he voted against it and expressed himself as follows:

"I believe in the right of each community to attend to its own business. I believe that the people of the community know better what they want done than any outside persons can know."

The league also quotes the recent utterance of Henry Watterson, editor of the Courier-Journal, who has laid down the rule: "No democrat can be a prohibitionist."

Taft's View of Prohibition.

The league then calls attention to the fact that the prohibitionist cannot find solace in the utterance of the republican nominee for the presidency of the United States, William Howard Taft, who, in a lecture delivered at Yale on "Four Aspects of Civic Duty," said:

"Nothing is more foolish, nothing more utterly at variance with sound policy than to enact a law which, by reason of conditions surrounding the community in which it is declared to be law, is incapable of enforcement. Such an instance is sometimes presented by sumptuary laws by which the sale of intoxicating liquors is prohibited under penalty in localities where the public sentiment of the immediate community does not and will not sustain the enforcement of the law. * * * In cases where the sale of liquor cannot be prohibited in fact, it is far better to regulate and diminish the evil than to attempt to stamp it out."

What Mitchell Says.

In regard to the position of labor as to sumptuary law, the league quotes from a letter received by President Gilmore from John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America and second vice president of the American Federation of Labor, in which Mr. Mitchell says that he regards model license as much superior to the present system and that it would remove many existing evils. Backing this up is the following quotation from an official statement of the American Federation of Labor:

"The continued growth of prohibition and the destruction of the brewing and distilling interests will result in the farmer and the allied trades in all the lines of manufacture being made to suffer great losses by destroying the market for their products."

The prohibitionist's views as to the democratic party, as given in the American Prohibition Year Book for 1908, are quoted as follows:

"This (the democratic) party does not employ deep thought in its attitude on the liquor question. It has a few sounding phrases on 'sumptuary law' and on 'the liberties of the citizens' which it airs on every occasion. They will not bear analysis in this connection, but analysis and discriminating thought are often found lacking in the democratic methods of sustaining the liquor traffic. They do not stop to question whether the liquor men's arguments and figures are sound and true but they swallow them whole, and act accordingly."

Republican Attitude.

As the republican party's attitude toward prohibition, the Year Book is quoted as follows:

"The republican leaders have endeavored to postpone and finally to defeat prohibition aftener than they have consented to it. The party cannot by any means be said to have been a militant force in behalf of the prohibition of the liquor traffic and the protection of the homes of the people from the drink curse."

The league's quotation of the Year Book's attack on President Roosevelt is as follows:

"He (Mr. Roosevelt) reads the press and often flames out in answer to newspapers or persons who do not please him. But he does not know that the liquor traffic exists. He once did know. What has caused him to 'quit?' His best friends are at a loss for an answer. Surely his memory is in good working order. What has caused this chance? What he said in 1895 has been quoted on another page. What he does not say in 1907-8 is the wonder of the century."

Short List of Opponents.

In another section quoted from the Year Book the prohibitionists say: "Quotations are at hand taking an attitude unfavorable to the spread of prohibition from President Harrison, James G. Blaine, John Sherman, New York Tribune, Chicago Tribune, Cincinnati Commercial Gazette, St. Paul Pioneer Press, Brooklyn Times, Indianapolis Journal, and New York Mail and Express, which may be deemed entitled to represent the republican party's real attitude on any question, especially when they all agree."

In conclusion, the league points out the fact that the prohibitionist is turned away from the democratic party; from the republican party; that he cannot get the laboring man's sympathy; and in default of these, he must once more make himself ridiculous by throwing away his vote for a foolish candidate and a futile cause.



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$1.00 Wash Suits 20 per cent off 80c
$1.50 Wash Suits 20 per cent off $1.20
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MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S
PANTS

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$4.50 Pants 20 per cent off $3.60
$5.00 Pants 20 per cent off $4.00
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$6.50 Pants 20 per cent off $5.20

Aside from the 20 per cent discount on all clothing we offer many matchless bargains in Gents' and Boys' furnishings. Many broken lots, odds and ends, have been vigorously reduced. In fact most tempting prices prevail throughout the entire store. This is truly the one real money saving retail event of the year. Here we picture a few bargains, but they are merely illustrations of the many money-saving opportunities found here. Come early.

The Famous Police and Firemen's **BRACES** Our regular 25c and 50c kind, you'll recognize them. Sale price **19c**

Our entire line of **COLLARS** "Sterling Brand" collars, sale price each **10c**

Initial **HANDKERCHIEF** Our regular Japonette kind. All initials. 15c values. Sale price **7c**

MEN'S SHIRTS. Plain white and fancy. Regular 50c kind. "Princely," "Tiger" and "Emperor" make. Sale price ..... **35c** Or 3 for $1.00.

White, Blue and Red **Handkerchiefs** regular 10c values. sale price ..... **4c** 3 to one customer.

MEN'S SUSPENDERS Regular 25c values. With strong elastics. Good workmanship. 2 pair to one customer. Sale price **10c**

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THE CONTINENTAL.

HENRY N. BOEHM, Manager.

$1.50 and $2.00 fine Men's Straw Hats special $1

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GUDENSCHWAGER WINS A ST. PAUL RACE

Gudenschwager, the local motorcycle racer, won a decisive victory at the St. Paul motorcycle racesWednesday at a rate of speed that almost made a world's record. He entered in the five mile race on a 3½ horsepower "Indian" machine and won the race in the fast time of 6 minutes and 15 seconds. He also entered in the 10 mile race which was open to all and in which there were mostly double cylinder machines of five and six horsepower, coming in a close third to the two high power winners. Although his machine is but a three and a half horsepower machine he made a wonderful showing considering that nearly all the other machines in the 10 mile race were of a much higher power.

HONK, HONK, FOR HINKY DINK

CHICAGO, July 17.—Honk! Honk! Also Hink! Hink!

Alderman Kenna has bought an automobile.

It is not one of those little runabout affairs, but a machine capable of holding twelve or fifteen persons. Everything tbout it except the tires is red. When it is under full speed it looks like a streak of crimson.

The alderman took several of his friends and constituents for a ride last night to "try out" the new car, and after a two hours' trip over south side boulevards the machine was driven to the alderman's cafe at Clark and Van Buren street, where the party alighted.

GOVERNMENT LAND OPENING TRIPP COUNTY, S. D.

The Government opening of Tripp Co. lands will probably occur about October 1st, when a million acres will be thrown open to settlement, including some of the finest agricultural lands in the west. The Rosebud extension of the Chicago & North Western Ry. is the only railway line to these lands. See that your tickets read to Dallas, the terminus of the North Western, a half-mile from the reservation border. United States Land office will probably be located here. Send for free descriptive pamphlets giving all details about the land and how to secure a quarter section of it; free on application to any C. &. N. W. ticket agent.

DECIDES SUIT FOR PLAINTIFF

Judge Fruit yesterday decided for the plaintiff in the action brought by Gustaves Wall, et al, versus the Modern Woodmen of America, to recover on an insurance policy of $2,000 of Frederick Wall, deceased.

The benefit certificate was made payable to the mother of the F. Wall but the mother died before the man insured, and by law the money went to the legal heirs. The legal heirs are two brothers, one sister and four children of a deceased sister. The plaintiff in the case claimed that the children of the deceased sister were entitled to the share that the mother would have if living. W. F. & A. C. Wolfe represented the plaintiff and George Gordon represented the defendent.

The defendant' claime dthat each of the children of the deceased sister was entitled to an equal share of the insurance with the brothers and sister.

WON'T INVITE ALICE TO COME

COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 17.—At a meeting of the Kentucky state delegation the question of sending an inviation to Mrs. Alice Roosevelt-Longworth was finally settled when the proposition was defeated overwhelmingly.

RINGLING ELEPHANT IS 212 YEARS OLD

Tomorrow Old Baldy will be 212 years old and he will celebrate his birthday in La Crosse. He is still, cheerful in spirit and hale and hearty—that is for an elephant. Baldy is the largest of Ringling Brothers' herd of forty. He is of the Asiatic type, not as tall as Jumbo was but much heavier.

The first known of Old Baldy is that while George Washington was still president of the United States he was brought from somewhere in the wilds of India to become a member of the old zoological garden of London, Eng. That was on July 21, 1796. The big fellow's age was then estimated at 100 years, and as living things as Baldy must have a birthday to celebrate, it was decided that the day of his arrival in civilization should have that honor.

During the war of 1812 Baldy was transferred to the public gardens at Liverpool where he remained till 1836, when old John Storm, who toured the southern states with a small show, brought the animal to America for its first tour with the red wagons. What became of Baldy when old man Storm went to the wall is not known till we hear of him again in 1850 as a part of the menagerie of the old Dan Rice circus. In 1856 Baldy became the property of the city of New Orleans, where he lived on the fat of the land in the public park there.

Then Baldy traveled again with a circus which at the close of the civil war sold him to the Rockford (Ill.) Park association. In 1872 Charles Andress, then a successful circus owner and now living in retirement in Chicago, bought the big fellow and placed it with his menagerie.

In 1886 when Andress retired, Baldy was sold to the Ringling Brothers ,and the people with the big circus are so fond of him it is not likely they will ever part with him. He is not one of the trained elephants, for Baldy never took to higher education. But in all his years before the public he has been the most faithful animal that ever walked on four legs. He is as gentle as the sacred cow and has never given a keeper a moment's anxiety.

In the old days before streets were paved in the smaller cities, Baldy earned his board many times over when the rains came. He can throw his great bulk against a mired wagon and move it onto solid ground when twenty horses could not budge it. Today when the show is on the road, he still works. He can place the heavy cages in the menageries without an apparent effort. And as the quarters are too close for more than a single team to work, the circus people could not well do without him.

He is still in his prime—just entering manhood one might say—for elephants have been known to live 500 years. So it is more than likely that Baldy will live to eat peanuts from the hands of children whose great grand parents are yet unborn.

The big circus will arrive in La Crosse early Tuesday morning from Rochester, Minn. It will come on five long trains. The street parade is set for 10 o'clock in the morning.

UNGLAUB TO JOIN "OUTLAWS"

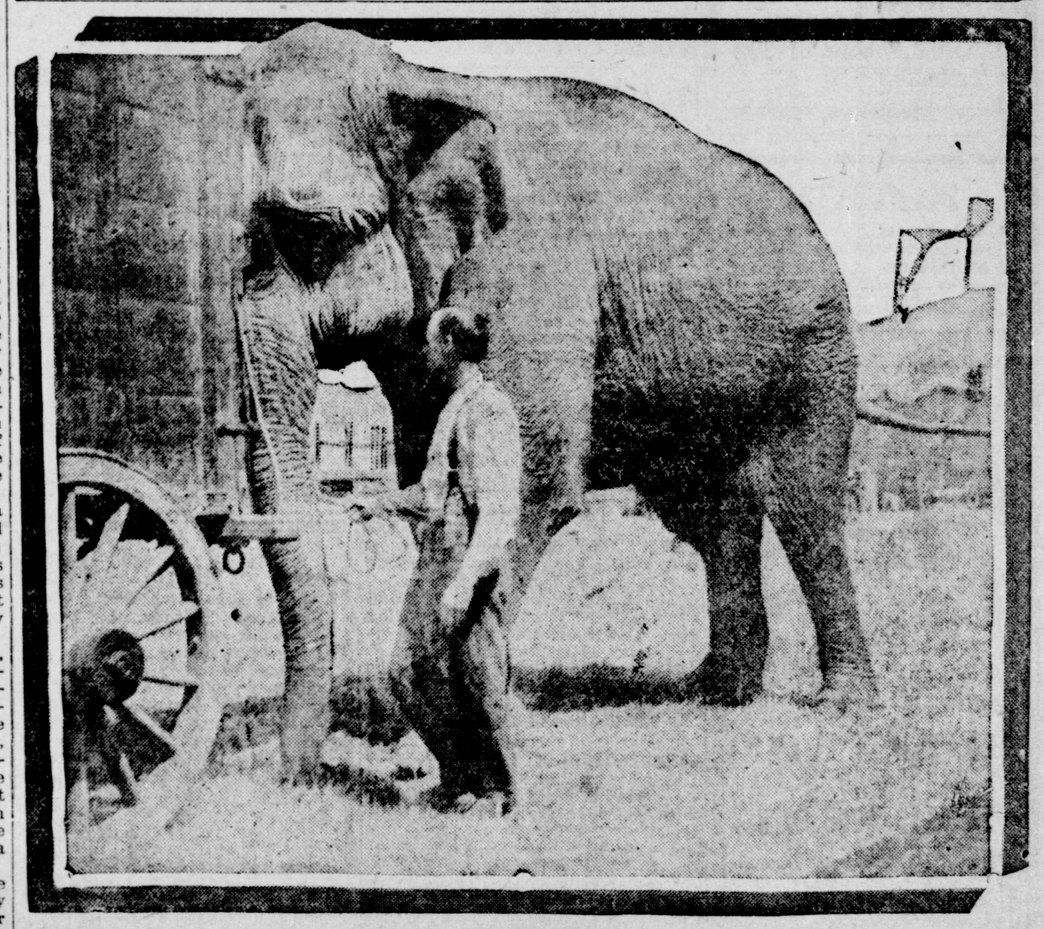
BOSTON, Mass., July 17.—"I have heard nothing from the Washington club about my transfer to that city," "Bob" Unglaub said. "I do not intend to go there unless I am to be paid the same money, and when Cantillon was here he told me he would not give me as much, so there can be no misunderstanding. I have been approached by the Stockton, Cal., club, and if the matter is not fixed up otherwise I shall leave next Saturday night for California."

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UTERMOEHL SAYS TICKETS WILL FLY

CROWDS OF OUTSIDERS CLAMORING FOR CONCERT SEATS

DECK STREETS IN BUNTING

Merchants and Owners of Buildings Are Preparing to Display the U. S. and German Colors

Secretary Utermoehl of the Saengerfest, during the last few days, has received hundreds of letters from parties and societies out of the city requesting tickets for the concerts during the fest, and he stated today that he believed that the auditorium would be taxed to its doors in every concert during the fest. The sale of season tickets was very gratifying to the committee.

The committee today was busy laying out plans for the parade that will be held the day of the picnic. Through some misunderstanding a number of the unions and organizations of the city are of the opinion that they were not invited to participate in the parade. When the committee made out the list, all the unions were included in the invitations to the Trades and Labor council, but through some misunderstanding they were not all notified. They are earnestly requested to attend in the parade.

The children's chorus held the first rehearsal in the auditorium this morning under the leadership of Miss Russell. The chorus now numbers nearly eight hundred and will be one of the features of the concerts. All the children will be dressed in white gowns and this is believed will add greatly to the effect of the chorus. They are also supplied with flags that will be waved during the national songs. The last rehearsal will be held on the morning prior to the concert in which they will appear

Merchants in the city are readily taking up with the request of the committee on decorations, in regard to decorating their stores for the occasion and a number of the merchants are already preparing for elaborate decorations during the next week. The city will be aglow with the American and German national colors.

Red, white and blue for the national colors, will mingle with the German colors, red, black and white. Secretary Utermoehl stated today that they expected to have the city decorated as it has never before been decorated. Not only the merchants are taking up the matter, he continued, but a number of organizations are preparing to take up the matter of decorations and make the city present a beautiful appearance.

BALLOON RACE TO START TOMORROW

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 17.—All is in readiness for the international balloon race, to start at Lexington park Saturday afternoon. Five balloons ,the Pommern, United States, American, King Edward and Chicago, are entered.

Dr. Julien Thomas, New York, will sail the Pommern. On accounut of a northwest wind, usually prevailing here, the balloonists expect to travel eastward or southeastward.

WAVE OF VIOLENCE SWEEPS DES MOINES

DES MOINES, Iowa, July 17.—Three violent deaths and a cutting affray, probably fatal, occurred in less than an hour early today. Stovlenelli Zanur, a Russian, was killed by an electric shock; Walter Johnson, a negro, employed by the Ringling circus, was killed by an interurban car, and an unknown man was killed by the interurban car; Leonardo Talatico was set upon by Italians and cut with a razor.

HOMER, MINN.

Mrs. Donald Siver and little daughter, of St. Charles, Minn., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Green.

Claude Breed and bride of Dakota, who have been visiting relatives here, returned home Thursday morning.

Mrs. E. C. Burns of Winona came down Tuesday evening for a few days' visit with friends.

The cherry crop, which was a good one, has all been gathered and now the raspberries are being picked.

Miss Ruth Chase of Milwaukee and Miss Dorothy Keeler of Winona are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Loren Tainter.

The fine garage that is being built at Gracemont is rapidly nearing completion.

Monday F. F. Tainter with his engine and a crew of men went up to the head of Pleasant valley and brought down the stone crusher. It will be used for crushing the rock to be put on the Hamilton flat.

The many friends of Scott Hammond will be pleased to know that he is slowly recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laak are the parents of a baby boy, born the 8th.

ILLINOIS STATE BANKS.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 17.—Hhe state auditor has issued a call for a statement of the condition of state banks on the opening of business, July 16th.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

The Westminster Presbyterian Sunday school picnic will be held at Gunn's park Saturday afternoon. The children will meet at the church at 1 p. m. Parents are invited.

ANNUAL TEACHERS' INSTITUTE SOON

GATHERING AT WEST SALEM JULY 20-31

OLTMAN ISSUES STATEMENT

Teachers of the County are Invited to Attend and Gain Benefit of the Service

County Superintendent of Schools B. F. Oltman of West Salem has issued a circular to the teachers of the county regarding the annual teachers' institute which opens at West Salem July 20th and continues to July 31st. The instructors of the institute are G. L. Bowman of Menominee, D. O. Kinsman of Whitewater, Amy Molstad, West Salem, and B. F. Oltman, county superintendent.

Prof. Oltman's letter follows:

"Our annual teachers' institute will be held at West Salem, July 20th to 31st, 1908. The organization and management of the institution will conform to the standards which should characterize a well regulated schol, in matters of attendance, punctuality, preparation of assigned work, etc.

Former Instructors Back

"The following persons will assist the county superintendent in conducting the institute: G. L. Bowman, principal of the Dunn county normal school; D. O. Kinsman of the Whitewater normal school, and Miss Amy Molstad of West Salem; all with us last year, and all able and skillful conductors. This means that all the work of the institute will be carried out in an interesting, prictical and helpful manner.

Institutes a Necessity

"To keep abreast with the progress being made in the educational field, all teachers, normal school graduates as well as those who have not had normal school training, must attend institutes and other teachers' meetings. Other things being equal, the teacher who attends the institute will teacn a better school than the one who does not, and school officers are beginning to fully recognize this fact. School boards are requested to consider institute attendance as at least a highly desirable qualification for their teacher to possess.

An Important Point

"Important: All teachers attending the full two weeks will be granted the privilege of taking advantage of the law yhich permits the county superintendent to allow any person holding a third grade certificate to write on any two or more second grade branches, and then if the applicant is successful in securing the required standing in any two of the second grade branches, to issue a third grade certificate without a re-examination in the third grade branches; or if the required standings are reached in all four second grade branches, to issue a full second grade certificate. The same rule will apply to those holding second grade certificates and who may wish to write on first grade subjects. However, any standings of the lower grade certificate falling below the requirements for the higher grade, wuld have to be raised to the established higher grade standard.

Teachers to Bring Text Books

"Bring such text books as you may have. If you have the song book, "The School Bell," be sure to bring that. Also bring your Manual.

"I trust that every teacher will strive to be on time (at 9 a. m.) the first morning and remain the entire two weeks. We had a splendid institute last year; let us try to make this one still better."

Teachers' Examinations

Public teachers' examinations will be held at West Salem August 3, 4 and 5; at Bangor August 7 and 8, and at Onalaska August 10 and 11. The examinations August 5th will be in first and second grade branches.

SY SNYDER HEADS STATE LIQUOR MEN

KENOSHA, Wis., July 17.—At the closing session of the Wisconsin State Retail Liquor dealers here last evening the following officers were elected:

President—S. Snyder, La Crosse.

Vice president—John F. Langan, Kenosha.

Secretary—M. H. Niesen, Kaukauna.

Treasurer—Carl Hartwig, Manitowoc.

Trustees—John E. Wetzel, Sheboygan; J. C. Gruel, Watertown, and B. F. Gipple, Merrill.

Sergeant at arms—Andrew Zurfluh, Grand Rapids.

Sheboygan was selected as the place for the next convention by a two to one over La Crosse.

Some men carry home a very small steak to a very big family.

PRINCESS WILL FORSWEAR PARIS

ANNA GOULD DE SAGAN WILL SELL HER PROPERTY

SOCIAL SNUB IS THE CAUSE

She Expects to Use the Proceeds of the Sale in Restoring the De Sagan Estate in Germany

PARIS, July 17.—Princess De Sagan is to foreswear Paris and endeavor to establish a new social peerage in the German principality of her husband. It is announced today the princess has offered her splendid chateau, Farias, for sale, for $250,000. It is said she also will sell the famous castle residence on avenue Bois de Boulogne, and follow this with a general sale of her French investments. With the capital she hopes to buy back the whole or the bigger part of the De Sagan family estate, and restore it to its original splendor and occupy a dominant social position. It is said the princess plans to spend six months a year on the German estate and the same time in America with her husband. This decision is reported to be the result of a social snub they received in Paris preceding their marriage

NO CHAMPIONSHIP IN OLYMPIC GAMES

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beat America. The event was protested.

The protest was rejected.

500 meter bicycle race: Spenger of Poland, won the first heat, 8:39 4-5; De Mangel, France, second heat, 9:01 2-5. The winner was disqualified for fouling and the heat was awarded to Marechal, France.

The 3,200 meter steeplechase—Rusell, of England, won the first heat, time 10:56 1-5; Eisle, of New York, won the second heat, time 11:13 3-5; Galbraith, of Canada, won the third heat, time 11:12 2-5.

Three lap bicycle team pursuit race—Germany beat France in the first heat; England beat Belgium in the second heat; Canada beat America in the third heat.

Gymnastic competition—Final won by Sweden with 438 points.

Webb, of England, second; Spencer, of England, third. England's first clean sweep.

Auffray, of France, won the third heat in 8:76 4-5; Grakestein, of Holland, won the fourth heat in 8:42 4-5.

The 100 meter swim—Dehalmy, of Hungary, won the first heat, time, 1:08 1-5; Schigg of Austria won the second heat, time 1:11 4-5.

Note—This event is diqerent from the 100 meter backstroke swim.

BADGER BOOKS REACH 62,000

MADISON, Wis., July 17.—According to statistics gathered by the free library commission there are now 568 circulation libraries in Wisconsin, which reach 62,000 persons. The city librarie in the state permit the privilege of drawing books to 26,000 persons living in the country in the neighborhoods in addition to the 866,000 persons who reside within the municipal limits. Libraries have multiplied at such a rate in the past five years that there remains but one city with a population in excess of 3,000 unprovided with a library—Prarie du Chien. A contract has recently been entered into with the state board of control, whereby the commission supplies books to the state penal and charitable institutions. At the present time Henry E. Legler of Milwaukee, secretary of the free library commission, is working on a plan to extend the traveling libraries to the county penal and charitable institutions.

NORTHWESTERN USES A NEW MOTOR CAR

FOND DU LAC, Wis., July 17.—Beginning next Sunday the Chicago & Northwestern road will establish a motor car service between this city and Janesville for Sunday service during the summer months.

The car will leave Janesville at 8 a. m. and arrive here three hours later. It will leave this city at 3:40 p. m., arriving in Janesville at 6:50 p. m.

The car is similar to an ordinary coach and is propelled by gasoline power. It will travel at an average speed of thirty miles per hour. The car is about sixty feet long and was built in the Union Pacific snops at Omaha. Only ordinary hand baggage will be carried. Much interest will be taken in this service as it is the first of the kind placed in operation here.

WHAT WILL HAPPEN

If Bryan is Elected

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LA CROSSE, WIS.

ENGLAND MAY ACT AGAINST JAPANESE

DRIVING BRITISH TRADE FROM THE ORIENT

MATTER BEFORE PARLIAMENT

Prominent Members of Influential China Association Want Understanding with U. S.

LONDON, July 17.—Startling evidence of growing unfriendliness between England and Japan came to light today when it was announced the house of commons shortly will take formal notice of the charges that Japan is gradually crowding British commerce from Korea and Manchuria.

The controversy has been pushed into parliament by the China association, a powerful organization of Englishmen with interests in the far east. It has urged a sharp protest to Tokio. Leading members of the organization are bringing influence to bear to prevent the extension of the Anglo-Japanese alliance. Several are even urging an understanding between England and America relative to Oriental affairs.

WISCONSIN MAN LEADS THE HOSTS OF PROHIBITION

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only upon intelligence and ability to read and write the English language.

"14—The preservation of the mineral and forest resources of the country and the improvement of the highways and waterways.

"Believing in the righteousness of our cause and in the final triumph of our principles and convinced of the unwillingness of the republican and democratic parties to deal with the issues, we invite to full party fellowship all citizens who are with us agreed."

Mr. Chafin, who is a Chautauqua lecturer of note, was born in Waukesha, Wis., the home of plain and fancy water, still, carbonated, mineral, prepared and guaranteed non-intoxicating. In this atmosphere Mr. Chafin first saw the light of day and received his early education.

Mr. Chafin came to Chicago in 1901, after he had practiced successfully in the law n Wisconsin. He came to take charge as superintendent of the Washingtonian home, an institution for the reform of drunkards, and he held the post with distinction for three years.

He resigned to enter wider fields of temperance endeavor and attached himself as the associate of Alonzo Wilson in the national prohibition headquarters.

He was twice the candidate of the prohibitionists for governor of Wisconsin and once for attorney general of the state.

DEMOCRATS CHOOSE DEL. TOMORROW

"I expect a good representation from all the precincts in the county," said County Attorney John Daugherty in speaking of the democratic county convention that will be held at the court house tomorrow at 12 o'clock. "We expect there will be about 150 delegates from which 16 delegates will be elected to the state democratic platform convention to be held at Milwaukee next week on Wednesday, the 22nd. While the county office nominees will not be named they will probably be discussed more or less."

At the convention at Milwaukee the state democratic platform will named to be submitted to the voters.

SICK BOY TO STAY AT THE ORPHANAGE

Judge Brindley this afternoon committed Anthony Wiedemann of this city to the St. Michel's orphanage here. He is an invalid and his father, who is said to be a drunkard, invariably takes the child away from the orphanage where he has made his home for the past year.

Physicians at the institution are trying to cure the lad and his father when he becomes intoxicated goes to the asylum and takes the boy away and that the officers decided to have him committed, so that the father may not get him for a time.

C. RINGLING HERE WITH FAMILY

C. Ringling, one of the four brothers who are the owners of Ringling Brothers' shows, accompanied by his wife and two sons, Hester and Robert, arrived at La Crosse last evening in their large Pierce Arrow automobile after making the trip from Baraboo.

After stopping over night at the Stoddard they left this morning for Mankato, where they will join the show that plays there tomorrow.

They will accompany the show as far as La Crosse. The show plays here next Tuesday.

HOUSE BURGLARS ARE NOT FOUND

While the police have been working diligently on the robbery of the residence of William Hickish and L. Doten on Vine street, so far no clues have been found.

The work was evidently done by professionals and no clews were left for the police to work on, except a stocking foot print upon the floor. While they have not given up the hunt they have so far been unsuccessful.

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The Masher's Finish.

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Intensely Funny.

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Sung by Frank Petrich.
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After the first baby is born, a man feels very much like an old doll looks when its owner gets a new one for Christmas.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Fred Richardson of Sparta has returned to her home after making a short visit with her sister Mrs. Oles of Green Bay street.

Mr. John Heath of Keen, Wis., is the guest of his niece, Mrs. Oles.

Geiwitz, the jeweler, left the city today on a business trip. He will visit Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago.

Excellent Carriage Line. Phone 179 Gateway City Transfer Line.

Mabel and Emma Bjornstad returned yesterday after a week's visit with relatives and friends near Coon Valley.

E. D. James of Rockland is spending a few days n the city visiting friends.

Frank Kohn has returned from Winona, where he has been on business interests.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Mrs. William Culp and children of Minneapolis are visiting friends and relatives in the city.

Ben Schoepp is spending a few days with friends in Winona.

Miss Bessie Hermanson of Winona is the guest of relatives and friends in La Crosse.

Mr. and Mrs. Willam Collins have gone to Green Bay for a few weeks' outing.

Remember excursion on W. W. given by Ladies' Aid of Caledonia street M. E. church, Saturday, July 18th. Boat leaves 2 p. m. Returns 9 p. m. Tickets, adults, 50c; children, 25c.

F. H. Schoefield has left on a business trip through the southern part of the state.

Miss Clara Senn has returned to her home in Bush Valley after spending several months in the city.

Miss Margaret Senn is visiting at the Schild home in Bush Valley.

Mrs. Kunt Olson of Mabel, Minn., who has been visiting with friends and relatives in the city has returned to her home.

Lars Dahl of Prosper is at a local hospital having submitted to an operation last Wednesday.

Miss Ethel Reinhoel is spending a week at the home of Lena Burmeister at Ostrander.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

Miss Bessie Simpson is visiting Miss Hazel Post of Black River Falls.

John Nicholson of Black River Falls is in the city on business.

Martin Solberg is visiting with friends and relatives at South Valley.

Oscar Larsen is staying for a week at the home of J. A. Prestegaaden at South Ridge.

Miss Clara Kriese is visiting with friends in Union.

Miss Tillie Snure is the guest of relatives at Union.

W. D. Case of Spring Grove has returned to his home after a short visit with friends and relatives in the city.

Miss Hammer returned to the city after spending two weeks with friends at Spring Grove.

Mrs. J. Bangsberg and child of the city are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Gran at Spring Grove.

Miss Lillian Herman of this city is visiting friends at Sparta for a few days.

Miss Nina Johnson of Fairmont is the guest of friends in La Crosse this week.

Grant Ladd of Lansing is spending a few days in the city on business.

Miss Laura Sawyer of Austin is spending a few days in the city visiting friends and relatives.

Misses Tina and Hannah Lang have gone to Trempealeau, where they will visit friends.

Miss Emma Giles of 1225 Farnam street is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at the St. Francis hospital.

Miss Agnes Webster of Aberdeen, S. D., is the guest of relatives and friends in La Crosse.

Mr. J. I. Thomas, agent for O. Heileman Brewing Company at Prairie du Chien, is in the city on business for a few days.

W. D. Cameron of La Crosse is in Milwaukee.

A. M. Brayton has returned from the democratic convention at Denver and a pleasure trip through Colorado.

John F. Merrill of Harmony is spending a few days in the city visiting friends and acquaintances.

H. Schanechk of Fountain City was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

H. Austin of Ferryville is the guest of business acquaintances in La Crosse for a few days.

O. C. Wing if Whitehall is spending a few days in the city visiting friends.

G. R. Kanard of Pepin is calling on old acquaintances in the city for a few days.

P. C. Stuchsel of Caledonia has returned home after transacting business here.

H. McGovern of Spring Valley was a business caller in the city yesterday.

WALLA WALLA IN DEMOCRATIC COLUMN

LINCOLN, Neb., July 17.—The defeat of a republican for mayor of Walla Walla, Wash., is the cause of much jubilation at Fairview.

With unfeigned delight Mr. Bryan announced a telegram from W. H. Dunpy, a democratic leader of that city as follows: "The democrats of Walla Walla send greetings. As a first favorable augury of victory, at the election in this city, the home of United States Senator Ankeny, a heretofore republican stronghold, elected Eugene Taustic, democrat, for mayor over W. P. McKean, republican, by a majority of 942. McKean is president of a local Taft republican club."

Mr. Bryan declared that the election was ignificant in that it showed to the country that the democrats have been justified in their forecast in the trend of political sentiment, throughout the country.

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"Come on in, the water 's fine" with one of our Bathing Suits. Right now they are selling at 1/4 LESS than the Regular Price.

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All MEN'S UNDERWEAR FROM $1 UP

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TWO-PIECE OUTING SUITS AT HALF PRICE. Come and get your pick before the stock is exhausted. This is your opportunity. Don't miss it!

NELS THOMPSON
NELS IS ON THE SQUARE. 133 SOUTH FOURTH STREET.

SOCIETY

A line shower was given in honor of Miss Lena Sikorski at her home Tuesday night. The jully crowd consisted of the Misses Rose Gardner, Alvina Gardner, Mary Zemlicka, Mary Kucera, Mary Svec, Rose Svec, Mary Beranek, Anna Soukup, Lena Sikorski, Mrs. F. J. Bina and Teresa Sikorski. A very pleasant time was reported by everyone present. After refreshments were served, games and music were indulged in till a late hour.

WABASHA TRIP

A party of ladies went to Wabasha Thursday on the steamer La Crosse. They reported a most delightful trip The boat accommodations were pleasant and convenient, meals being served on the boat if desired. After reaching their destination the party divided up and spent the day at private houses. Among those who were of the party were Mesdames Emma Law, Abby Burton, J. W. Skinner, William Tarbox, Van Steenwyk, F. J. Smith, A. P. Hankerson, Frederick Hankerson and Emma Finch.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Hyde and Captain and Mrs. I. H. Moulton went to Lansing in the Hyde launch and remained over night.

AT THE COUNTRY CLUB

Mrs. H. J. Hirshheimer and Mrs. F. C. Suiter gave a bridge party of three tables yesterday at the Country club. The guest of honor were Mrs. Edgar Martin of Milwaukee and Mrs. Karner of Spokane. The prizes were taken by Mrs. Andrew Boyd and Mrs. Louis Hirshheimer.

Messrs. Leigh and Ralph Toland gave a dinner of four covers Wednesday at the Country club. The guests were Miss Helen Snow and Viola Doerflinger.

Miss Freda Michel entertained at two tables of bridge last Saturday for Miss Helen Norbeck of Minneapolis and Miss Margaret Marston. Miss Helen Bellerue took the prize.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ringling and son motored up here from Baraboo, and are stopping at the Stoddard.

Mr. N. D. Allen has gone to Minneapolis.

Mrs. A. C. Bangsberg and children who have been spending a couple of weeks with the family of Mr. C. Bangsberg at Viroqua, have returned home.

Miss Helen Snow, who has been been visiting at the home of Mrs. F. J. Toland for several weeks, has returned to her home at Sioux Falls. She was accompanied by Mr. Ralph Toland.

Miss Louise Wells, who has been the guest of friends in the city, has returned to her home at Cascade Locks, Ore. Miss Mary Evans accompanied her and will be the guest of Mis Rebecca Thompson.

Mrs. J. E. Pitner of Chicago is a guest at the home of Miss Louise Harrison.

Miss Helen Morley of Black River Falls is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McNab of Louisville, Ky., passed through the city enroute for Minnetonka. They spent several hours driving around the city and admiring its beauty.

The Misses Anna and Margaret Beisel have gone to Manitou.

Mrs. W. W. Withee has as her guest Mrs. Guido Bossard of Philadelphia.

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PLANTATION CO. PAYS "DIVIDEND"

In pursuance with an order issued by Judge Fruit in the circuit court, holders of $205,000 worth of bonds of the Mexican Plantation company were authorized to file their claims with the clerk of court and receive a pro rata share of between $12,000 and $13,000 which was received from the forced sale of the Mexican Plantation property. This will be the first and last dividend made by the Mexican Plantation company during its existence of seven years.

DEDICATION AT VIROQUA SUNDAY

A special train will leave La Crosse Sunday morning at 9 o'clock over the La Crosse and Southeastern road for the dedication of the new Catholic church at Viroqua at which Bishop Schwebach will officiate. The train reaches Viroqua about 11 o'clock and returns to the city about 4 o'clock. The sermon will be preached by Rev. A. Murphy of La Crosse and City Attorney John F. Doherty will deliver a short address in the afternoon. The girls of the St. Anne's orphanage of the city will give an entertainment to which all the excursionists are invited. It is expected that several hundred people from La Crosse will attend the dedication.

WESTERN LEADER SEES BRYAN VICTORY

Mr. Conrad of Great Falls, Mont., was in the city yesterday afternoon visiting with City Attorney John F. Doherty, W. W. Withee and other acquaintances on the way from Chicago to his home. Mr. Conrad is regarded as one of the most influential democrats in the west.

He was very optimistic over the election in November. He said that if the sentiment in the west was indicative of the entire country Bryan would be an easy victor at the fall election.

LA CROSSE MAN IS NOW A PHARMACIST

In the examinations by the state board of pharmacy concluded yesterday John George Howley of La Crosse was granted a full certificate. Charles F. Bassey of Viroqua was granted a registered assistant pharmacsit's certificate.

Taking His Trousers Off—Little Jr., aged four, was playing out in the yard, when suddenly he came rushing into the house, crying out, "Oh, mamma! come quick! Come and see the bug; he is taking his trousers off!" He had found a loct coming out of its old shell.

CITY NEWS

ATTENDS CONVENTION—Edwin H. Jaekel, electrician, son of J. D. Jaekel, the grocer, left Wednesday evening for Chicago, where he will attend the Electricians' convention.

CHILD DIES—Little Willie Nagel of La Crescent passed away Sunday evening after suffering a few days' illness from a complication of poisoning from a rusty nail and antitoxin injected while he was sick with diphtheria. Dr. Egan of this city was unable to save the boy.

INSANE WANDERER SENT TO VIROQUA

VIROQUA, Wis., July 17.—(Special.)—The crazy man wandering in the vicinity of Genoa was turned over to the authorities at the home of Joseph De Vorde on Wednesday evening and brought to Viroqua. He is an elderly man and appears to have been insane for sometime. He says he escaped from some institution in May, since which time he has drifted about over southern Wisconsin.

Charlie McDaniels, the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McDaniels, living east of Viroqua on the C. J. Smith farm, met with a serious accident on Tuesday. He was riding on a load of hay and slipped to the ground in such a manner that the wheel passed over his body and it is feared injured him internally.

Mrs. Mamie Oium of Oshkosh is a guest of her mother, Mrs. Isaac Smith.

Excavation is being made for the pipes and tunnels for the heating plant to the brick veneered grade school building.

Arvin Chase of Red Mound called on Viroqua friends on Thursday.

Miss Agnes I. Webster of Aberdeen, S. Dak., is a guest at the F. M. Baker home.

Miss Martha Rose of La Crosse is visiting with her parents near Bristow.

Born, July 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Helgeson, twins, a girl and a boy.

Miss Lavina Peterson, who has been visiting friends at Madison, returned to Viroqua on Tuesday night, accompanied by her sister, Bena, who has been employed at Waukegan and is taking an extended vacation.

Mrs. D. J. Morris of West Salem has been at Viroqua for a few days' visit.

If you must say anything of your rival, praise him; you can make more enemies for him that way tha nby criticizing him.

No, Maude, dear, the Society for the Supression of Vice isn't the only one that needs a vice president.

YOUR EYES
should never be allowed to go unheeded.

That dizzyness, sick headache, nervousness or general tired out feeling is caused by some defect of your eyesight. A pair of perfect fitting glasses remove, remedy this defect and do away with all of your ailments. GOOD HEALTH is easily acquired if there is no loss of nerve force through the eyes.

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FOUND AFFINITY AT HIS BEDSIDE

FORMER LA CROSSE MAN IS DISCOVERED BY WIFE

CONSULTING ATTORNEYS NOW

Parents of Glifford Van Buskirk, Said to Live Here, Side in With the Injured Wife

A special dispatch from Elgin, Ill., to the Tribune today says:

"Mrs. Clifford Van Buskirk is considering getting a divorce on account of discovering her husband, whose folks reside in La Crosse, has an affinity. The couple were married at Dwight, five years ago, where she was raised, and they lived happily until lately. Then he was injured and taken to an Elgin hospital where, it is claimed, his wife discovered his alleged "affinity" caring for him. The wife is consulting before filing suit. Van Buskirk's folks are in La Crosse, and are said to side with the wife and threaten to cast off their son for his action."

Not Known Here.

Consultation of the city directory and telephone directories do not show any family bearing the name of Van Buskirk living in this city.

IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL OF ALBERT PLATZ

The funeral of Albert Platz, which was held yesterday afternoon from the residence at 134 West Avenue South, at 3 o'clock was one of the largest funerals seen in La Crosse in several years. The house and porch were filled during the services and many were compelled to stand on the lawn.

The services were conducted by Rev. Henry Faville, pastor of the First Congregational church. The speaker told of the deceased's life in La Crosse and called attention to his business career. The Rev. S. L. McKee of the Presbyterian church of West Salem assisted in the services.

The casket which occupied a place in the parlor of the house was covered with flowers and floral designs and before 3 o'clock many hundreds of friends had viewed the remains for the last time. The employes of both the tannery and the Valyu Garment company were present at the services and presented their dead associate and manager with a beautiful floral design.

The out of town relatives who attended the funeral were Mr. Stroker, J. W. Gehring, Nathan Friend and Mr. Nickles of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Kiefer of Wausau and William Platz and Hugo Rickeman of Racine.

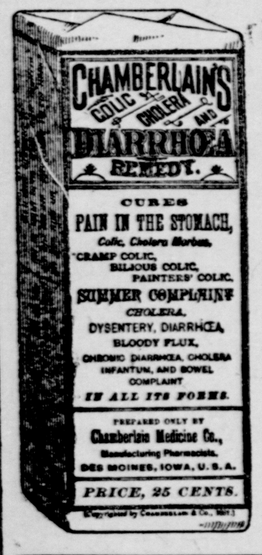
A large number of friends escorted the remains to the Oak Grove cemetery where interment was made. Brief services were conducted before the interment was made, by Rev. Faville.

The active pall bearers were William Thiel, S. A. Ricards, Chas. Schaffer, C. Cate, Carl Keller and Ole Swenson, all of whom had been in the employ of Mr. Platz for many years.

The honorary pall bearers were: Messrs. W. W. Cargill, Leonard Frey, William Luening, N. Haerter, Alfred Harrison and S. Y. Hyde.

In Trouble.—Little Newman's mother had faithfully tried to answer his questions in regard to death and the future life and he had been told that when he died just his soul would go to heaven.

Diarrhoea, Colic and Cholera Morbus



Are diseases that require prompt attention.

In almost every neighborhood some one has died from these diseases before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned.

Those who rely upon physicians often find that they are away from home when most needed.

Every family, and especially those who reside on farms and ranches, miles from any drug store or physician should keep at hand a bottle of

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No physician can prescribe a better medicine for the purposes for which it is intended.

The remarkable cures effected by this remedy, in all parts of the country, have made it the acknowledged standard.

It can always be depended upon to effect a quick cure, and when reduced with water is pleasant to take. It is equally valuable for children and adults.

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Saturday and Sunday Matinees and Nights
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Prices 10 *and* 15 cents
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HARTRIDGE MYSTERY DEEPENED BY DEATH

PITTSBURG, July 17.—The mystery concerning Mrs. Clifford W. Hartridge, wife of the wealthy counsel for Harry K. Thaw, which began with her disappearance soon after the Thaw trial and reached an enigmatic stake here Monday with her death under an assumed name in the Homeopathic Hospital, has been deepened by the reticence of the hospital authorities. They are maintaining so strict a silence that the health officials had to demand several changes in the death certificate before finally it was accepted.

It developed today that Mrs. Hartridge arrived at the hospital in charge of her mother July 3, having been brought here by the ambulance of the institution. She was taken in charge by Dr. Z. T. Miller, one of the staff, and registered as Miss Jessie Rogers. During the time she was in the hospital she failed to recognize her mother, from whom she had been separated for many months. She did not utter a word, remaining in comotose condition to the time of her death.

Secret Officially Buried.

The death certificate showed she died of typhoid fever, but this was later scratched out and the word meningitis inserted. This the bureau of health refused to accept, as there are three divisions of meningitis. Dr. Miller, when his attention was called to the matter, finally decided to change the cause of death to cerebro meningitis, and legally Mrs. Hartridge died of that disease. The certificate having been accepted by the health authorities, the coroner can do nothing, and it is probable that officially the secret was buried with the body.

Superintendent Kuntz of the hospital has been a busy man for twenty-four hours. Just what his duties are is not given out, but repeated visits to the hospital bring the statement that he is not in. Ordinarily he can be found at the hospital at any hour.

Already inofficial reports are being made by persons connected with the institution. It is stated, and the story is borne out in some measure, that Mrs. Hartridge had been in a Pittsburg boarding-house for some time. There she made friends who respected her desire for silence and allowed her to live the life she chose when she came here. She was not in the best of health, and when she became ill these friends notified her mother, who hastened to her bedside, only to find her unconscious. That she had not been in her mother's company any length of time before being taken to the hospital has been established.

Keeps All Records Hidden.

All records at the hospital are being carefully hidden from view. Although it receives a large appropriation annually from the state the staff of physicians hold they have no right to divulge any part of the story.

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Post Toasties
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With a sprinkle of sugar, if the natural sweetness of the toasted corn is not enough.

"The Taste Lingers."

"Packages two sizes, 10 and 15 cents."

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POISONED; SEEK AFFINITY.

CHICAGO, July 17.—Miss Ella Bloomberg died early yesterday morning at the residence of Mrs. Carl Heidelman, 913 North Sixth avenue, Maywood. A bottle of poison was found clasped in her hand. Whether she bought this herself and committed suicide, or whether the drug was given her by some other person to hide her condition, is the problem which the police are trying to solve. The case already has revealed a remarkable story of hopeless and faithful love for a married man. It may reveal a darker vein of murderous intent. The girl was 25 years old.

What was thought at first to be a plain suicide has turned into a more serious phase. The coroner's inquest was started, and then postponed.

What the coroner and the police wish to know is just how far W. E. Golden, a former druggst of Austin, who had been on friendly terms with the girl for years, is concerned in her death. Efforts were made last night to arrest Golden, but he has disappeared from his residence in Austin and is said by his brother, T. W. Golden, 5407 Adams avenue, Austin, to be "out of town."

RETURN FROM VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Goldish and children returned home Wednesday from visiting at St. Paul and Minneapolis for the last ten days.

MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

MUNICIPAL COURT CALLED ILLEGAL

TEMPORARY INJUNCTION IS ISSUED BY JUSTICE OF PEACE

BEMIDJI'S JUSTICE ASSAILED

Not Established According to Law, Because the Ordinance Creating it Not Signed by Mayor

BEMIDJI, Minn., July 17.—Justice of the Peace M. G. Slosum, through attorneys, has caused to be served upon Mayor J. P. Pogue and City Clerk Thomas Maloy an injunction restraining them and any of the city officers or employes from entering into any contract to purchase supplies for the municipal court of the city of Bemidji; and also from issuing any warrants for salary for any of the officers of said municipal court.

The complaint alleges that the court is not legally established on account of not securing the signature of Mayor Pogue; and that the act of the city council in ordering or directing the city clerk to purchase supplies for said municipal court is illegal and void for the reason that no municipal court has been properly organized without said signature.

The order is issued by Court Commissioner Clark and is returnable before Judge C. W. Stanton at Chambers in the city of Bemidji on Monday, July 20, at 10 o'clock, at which time the court will decide the point at issue—the legality of the establishment of the court over the mayor's veto.

MANGLED BY CULTIVATOR

MARSHALLTOWN, Iowa, July 17.—While cultivating corn, Harvey Lounsberry, a young farmer of near Nevada, Story county, was thrown from his cultivator today; the reins became entangled about his body, and while the frightened horses ran he was dragged under the knives of the machine, which gashed and cut his body The reins all but choked him to death, and when the team was stopped and he was released he was so battered and cut up that he could not rise He was found a half hour later, but so much foreign substance has entered the wounds that it is feared that blood poisoning will develop

BOAT BLOWS UP IN MIDLAKE

OKOBOJI, Iowa, July 17.—The steamboat Piriot, while racing from Spirit Lake to Arnold's Park with the boat Iowa, exploded in midlake, throwing several passengers into the water. The passengers were rescued and no one was seriously injured.

ARREST CASHIER AGAIN

MARSHALLTOWN, Iowa, July 17.—Ralph Aldrich, the alleged defaulting cashier of the Farmers' Savings bank of Huxley, who was released on bond ten days ago, was rearrested at Madrid, just before leaving for California. It developed that the surety company, which went Aldrich's bond, was liable only on one charge of embezzlement, and when this was learned a second charge of fraudulent banking was filed against Aldrich. His second bond has been fixed at $8,000.

TORNADO SPARES HOME

FERGUS FALS, Minn, July 17.—A peculiar storm occurred in the country five or six miles northeast of Elizabeth. A tornado formed there and traveled for a distance of about ten miles, sometimes high in the air and at other times coming uncomfortably close to the farmhouses below it. It touched ground on the fields of S. Ellingson and T. Strass, and uprooted corn and potatoes. At one point it crossed a slough; literally lifted the water from its basin and carried it high into the air. No houses were in its path, and no damage was done except to crops.

HELD FOR STRIKER'S DEATH

MARSHALLTOWN, Iowa, July 17.—W. D. Toler, the Iowa Central foreman, who murdered George W. Davies, a company striker on Monday night and who was whisked out of town to Eldora to prevent a possible lynching, was returned here last night by the sheriff. Toler was arraigned in police court this morning and waived examination and was held to the grand jury without bond.

Thomas Kane, a strikebreaker, was set upon, beat and kicked by strikers last night, sustaining serious injuries. No arrests have been made.

Reducing Fat on a Full Meal

If you want to reduce your flesh a pound a day, say, and still are averse to exercising—or cutting down your meals—from three to one or half of one—you can manage it. Ask your druggist for a package of Marmola Prescription Tablets; they cost but a trifle (an effective quantity being obtainable for only 75 cents), and take one tablet after meals and at bedtime. That is all. Just eat when and what you please, leave exercising to the athletes, take your convenient little tablet faithfully and that flabby flesh will soon disappear—possibly at the rate of a pound or more a day.

These tablets are licensed as harmless and effective by the Marmola Co., Detroit, Mich., for they contain identically the same ingredients as the famous Marmola Prescription: ½ ounce Marmola, ½ ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic and 3½ ounces Sirup Simplex, which as everybody knows is put up regularly and recommended by every druggist in the land.

WAWA

Do you know what it means? If you would like to know, write Geo W. Vaux, A. G. P. & T. A., Grand Trunk Railway System, 135 Adams St., Chicago, who will send you a beautifully illustrated booklet, which tells, and at the same time describes the new hotel which bears the name

WANT COUNTY FARM SCHOOLS

THIEF RIVER FALLS, Minn., July 17.—The people of St. Hilare, Red Lake county, at once will commence the circulation of a petition to the board of county commissioners asking that the question of bonding the county for the establishment and maintenance of a county agricultural school be submitted to the voters at the regular election this fall.

The petition will require the signature of 15 per cent of the total vote cast at the last election. This number can be obtained without difficulty, as the farmers of the county are much in favor of the move.

Yesterday the board of county commissioners let the contract for the erection of the sixth steel bridge that has been built in the county within two years.

BUILD NEW PUKWANA

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., July 17.—Arrivals from Pukwana, the thriving little town in the center of Brule county, which was practically destroyed by a tornado a little more than two weeks ago, report that it is rapidly recovering from the calamity, and that the new Pukwana which is being erected on the ruins of the old will be larger and better than the old. A small army of men is engaged in the work of rebuilding the town. It has been decided that both the Methodist and the Catholic churches, which were reduced to kindling wood by the tornado, will be rebuilt at once.

NORTHWEST IN BRIEF

MARSHALLTOWN, Iowa.—This city is able to show the best fire record for the last three months of probably any city of its size in the country. During that period the department has responded to twenty alarms, but the damage done by fire totaled 462.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D.—Preliminary steps have been taken to establish a new town on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at a point midway between the present towns of Wagner and Avon. The promoters of the new town recently made application to the state board of railroad commissioners for aid in prevailing upon the Milwaukee Railroad company to construct a sidetrack at the point selected for the new town, and this now is pending before the board.

FERGUS FALLS, Minn.—The county commissioners met here today and fixed the county tax levy for the ensuing year at $5,000 in addition to the one mill tax provided by law for school purposes. The levy last year was $77,000.

CROOKSTON, Minn.—The Polk county commissioners in their session here today levied a tax of $40,700 on this county, $12,300 less than last year. The county board also levied $20,000 for road and bridges, $6,000 for bonds and interest and $6,000 for deepening and straightening and widening overflowed water courses. This is a total tax of $72,700. The levy for roads and bridges is about the same as in former years.

BEMIDJI, Minn.—That Bemidji will soon have a first class telephone service was assured the citizens and city council at a meeting at which M. L. Lane of St. Paul, assistant general manager of the Northwestern Telephone Exchange, and Frank Bracelin of Crookston, district manager, met a number of the councilmen, together with the citizens of Bemidji and discussed the telephone situation.

ELKADER, Iowa.—W. A. Preston, an attorney, while mowing the grass on his farm near town, was thrown under the mower, when his ankle was broken and he was otherwise seriously injured.

WOOD AND WOLFE TO BE ORATORS

The services of Rev. Wood and Attorney W. F. Wolfe have been secured for the Woodmen of the World services which are to be held at the Oak Grove cemetery Sunday afternoon. The program has been arranged and everything is n readiness for the celebration. The line of march will be: Starting from Fourth and Main streets at 2 o'clock, the procession will go up Main street to Seventh, over Seventh to La Crosse street, east on La Crosse street to the Oak Grove cemetery.

The services will be opened with a prayer by Rev. Wood. Appropriate services will be held, including singing. William Wolfe will deliver the oration.

The Theater band has been secured to lead the parade on the march.

CATCHING BASS.

A number of local anglers are making fine catches of black bass in the river and small streams in this vicinity. It is said that a number of good catches were made in the lagoon over at Pettibone park.

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In every walk of life

every vocation—everybody looks to The Tribune for their wants. Buyer, seller and trader realize that

the "want" pages are

the market place. The highest grade salesman, the most skilled mechanic, the best in their respective class, put their message in Tribune wants. When **you** want to find the best the market affords look to The Tribune's want pages.

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade, will equip shop for you or furnish position, few weeks completes, constant practice, careful instruction, tools given. Saturday wages, diploma granted, write for catalogue. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—For U. S. Army: Able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, Hotel Grand, La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—Experienced Tinners. Badger Steel Roofing & Corrg. Co., 7th and LaX. St.

WANTED—Canvassers, experienced preferred. Fabric Implement Co., 819 Farnam St., La Crosse. Wis.

WANTED—Boy at the Eagle Hotel.

SALESMEN—To sell to business houses and offices the National window cleaner, brush, rubber and pail combined; a great seller and money maker. Address National Window Cleaner Co., Dayton, Ohio.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—A girl for general house work, 902 Pine St.

WANTED—Two dining room girls at Allen Hotel, 453 Mill.

WANTED—Plain cook and second girl. Good wages .Apply 1304 Cass St.

WANTED—Two experienced waitresses at the Cameron House, at once. Apply to manager.

WANTED—Girls in marking and sorting department, Modern Steam Laundry.

WANTED—A middle aged lady for housekeeper, 413 No. 9th St.

WANTED—Dishwasher at once at Hotel Doering.

WANTED—Nurse girl, 406 No. 4th St.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 416 So. 6th St.

WANTED—Girl wanted for general housework in family of 3. Inquire 1019 King St.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Nine room house, good barn, fine water, everything in good condition. Inquire at 1322 Pine St.

FOR SALE—8 room house with barn on large lot. Also two cottages on large lot. Leaving city. 1227 Denton.

FOR SALE—In Smith & Batchelder Addition one nice corner lot 50x150 to an alley; will sell cheap for cash if taken at once. Address P. 7, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Kitchen table, desk, bedroom suit, davenport and other household articles, 518 Ferry St.

FOR SALE—160 acres good farm land, cheap for cash; or will trade for city property, 804 Cass St.

FOR SALE—144 Barnes iron foot power lath with chuck and tools, also small portable forge and anvil, and small wood lath and tools, at Cordell.

FOR SALE—A new cart. Inquire 1201 Kane St.

FOR SALE—New torpedo stern, double cylinder engine, 5 h. p., speed 11 miles per hour. New phone, 811-A.

The longer a man lives the more he realizes what he might have done.

FOR SALE—Livery barn completely stocked with good horses and good rigs at Caledonia, Minn. Only livery barn in town. Also half interest in clothing store at Salem, S. D. Reason for selling, death in family. Mrs. P. M. Fuos, Caledonia Minn.

FOR SALE—Summer cottage at Lake View Resort, French Island. 6 miles from city. Inquire at 307 Main St.

For Rent

FOR RENT—House, 702 So. 9th St.

FOR RENT—Furnished front room, modern, 611 So. 5th.

FOR RENT—6 room house, 423 So. 6th, city water, electric light, large garden; very desirable account location.

FOR RENT—Furnished house,1628 Market St.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms, 608 N. 6th St.

FOR RENT—6 room house, 415 Jackson.

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished or unfurnished, 905 Main St. Call mornings.

Coast Shipments

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific Coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co.,Minneapolis, Minn

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SCHICK & ROTH—Batavian Bank Building. Telephone 290.

Stenographer

PUBLIC Stenography, 311 McMillan Bldg. Old phone, 5885; new phone, 452-A.

Texas Lands

THE Panhandle of Texas is the land of opportunity for home seekers and investors. If you are thinking of buying farm land come and talk it over at our local office. If you intend to buy land we will pay your fare to the Panhandle that you may see what you buy. Reed Allen Realty Co. Wm. Tisch, Mgr., 533 Main St., La Crosse, Wis.

Physician & Surgeon

DR. A. E. ERLING, specializing in the treatment of chronic ailments. Up-to-date methods. Hours 10 to 12 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m. Old phone, office, 717 Vine St.

Financial

LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

Insurance

TORNADO INSURANCE—$4.00 per thousand for 3 years; $6.00 for 5 years. C. S. Van Auken, 328 Pearl St.

Shoe Repairing

RUBBER boots repaired a specialty, cheap. E. Anderson, 932 Caledonia St. New phone 618R.

EXPERT Shoe Repairing neatly done. Nic O. Bratsven, 532 Mill St.

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HOME Treatment for mothers and daughters. Miss Cecelia Maloney, Mgr., 105 So. 6th.

Lost

LOST—Small brown purse containing sum of money, business district. Liberal reward if returned to Tribune office.

Nothing Like It

TRY H. W. BARKER'S COUGH Remedy; it cures. Nothing like it. Runckel's drug store.

Miscellaneous

WANTED—Situation home work or cooking. Mrs. S. E. Arthurs, Black River Falls, Wis.

WASHING neatly done, 1019 Denton.

WANTED—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address, C. D., Tribune Office.

ROOM and Board at 712 State St.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County.—ss. In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, appointed to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the first Tuesday, being the fourth day of August, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered: Namely: In the matter of the estate of Emma Helke, late of said City and County, deceased, the petition of Gustav W. Helke, surviving husband of said deceased, praying that letters of administration upon her estate be granted unto him.

Dated Probate Office, La Crosse, Wis., July 8, 1908.

By order of the Court,
JUDGE BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

LA CROSSE MILITIA BACK WITH LAURELS

ENCAMPMENT THIS YEAR IS VERY SUCCESSFUL

RETURN ON SPECIAL TRAIN

Governor is Pleased With the Work of the Third Regiment, Which is Up to the Old Standard

The two La Crosse companies of the W. N. G. returned home this afternoon. All of the men are in fine condition and the officers report a profitable encampment. The showing made by both companies was good.

Yesterday for the first time ball cartridges were used in the execution of the normal attack. Heretofore blank cartridges were used but this year the ball cartridges were substituted and figures were erected on the range. The First battalion of the Third regiment succeeded in beating the record established by the First regiment but the Second battalion "trimmed" them. The Third battalion, however, "trimmed" both the First and the Second.

In the afternoon yesterday the regiment was taken out and was given practice in the guarding of a road. The road leading into Camp Douglas was protected. Later a competition in estimating distances was held among the officers.

This morning was perhaps the busiest seen in camp since the arrival of the regiment. After receiving their pay the work of taking down tents was started and the La Crosse and Sparta and Tomah companies left on a special train, shortly after noon.

The officers are unanimous in their approval of the regiment and the work that has been done during the encampment.

The thing that creates the most comment and especially among the visitors is the way a body of citizen soldiers follow the rules laid down to them. They go about their work, take orders and their general deportment is that of the regulars.

First and Third Teams Close

The following is the result of the field fire of the Third regiment and Tenth separate battalion:

Battalion.	Fig.	Target.	Tot'l.	Pct.
Third	452	1209	1661	.64
Second	407	982	1389	.54
First	407	949	1359	.53
Tenth	Sep. 324	942	1266	.50

There was no other shooting on the range yesterday. The First and Third regimental teams average close, there being 3 2-3 points in favor of the Third, the average of the twelve men being Third regiment 327 11-12, First regiment 324 3-12. The Third regiment now holds the lead in fixed distance, Sergeant Bailey, Company C, 362; skirmish, Sergeant Bailey, 71; collective firing, Company A, 399; field fire, Third battalion, 1,661.

Governor Pleased

Governor Davidson spoke of the Third infantry after the field fire had been finished. The day's work added one more record to the shooting Third's string, for this morning the battalions not only surpassed the First regiment, but the lowest battalion in the Third infantry was 339 hits higher than the Third battalion of the First regiment, the battalion which headed Col Joachim's command. The Tenth separate also broke into the limelight by surpassing the best mark of the First infantry by 116 points. The remarkable score made by the junior major's battalion of 64.8 per cent of the possible will without doubt stand as a record for some time. On target No. 16, the extreme south target, upon which the battalion was firing, there were 197 hits on the black and 337 on the balance of the target, making 464 hits on one of the sixteen targets. This target and one other will be photographed as lasting evidence of the shooting of Major Turner's men.

ANOTHER PASTOR IS OUSTED FOR HERESY

LITTLE ROCK, July 17.—By a vote lacking only one of being unanimous Rev. F. E. Maddox, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Hope, Ark., was today expelled from the Ouachita presbytery on a charge of denying the inspiration of the Bible as a whole and of denying that salvation is an instantaneous act. Maddox, recognized as one of the most cholarly men of the state, was formerly connected with the Maddox Seminary in this city.

SPECIAL TRAIN ON CIRCUS DAY

A special train will be run on the Milwaukee road from Lanesboro on account of Ringling Bros. circus, on July 21. The train will leave Lanesboro at 7:50 and arrive at 9:55 in the morning. The regular evening train on the Southern Minnesota will run in two section to accommodate the extra traffic. The regular train leaves at 8:35.

MISS ELEANOR BONHAM AND HER HOME IN YORK, PA.



YORK, Pa., July 16.—A romance involving Caleb Powers of Kentucky and Miss Bonham of York, Pa., it is thought will result in the happy union of the couple. Upon his release from prison after his pardon, which virtually admitted his innocence of any complication in the Goebel assassination, Caleb Powers immediately journeyed to York Pa. to call upon this young lady, who had been his "friend in need."

The romance began as a schoolgirl's sympathy for Kentucky's political prisoner. Miss Bonham was in Cincinnati attending the College of Music and became interested in Powers through a petition which was circulated in the school and which she signed. After a careful study of the defendant's case she became thoroughly convinced he was innocent of any crime, and her schoolgirl sympathy developed into a mature determination to do everything in her power to assist Mr. Powers. During the arial she frequently journeyed to Georgetown to attend the court, and although unknown to Caleb Powers, she was very influential in financing his second trial. Miss Bonham soon won her mother and sisters to her view and together they were of great assistance. Then came the third trial and the culmination of the romance. Miss Bonham left home ostensibly to return to school in Cincinnati. Instead she went to the trial in Kentucky. This time she met Powers in court and they became warm friends. When the trial ended in a conviction Miss Bonham returned home. Imediately correspondence opened up between the prisoner and his sympathizer and upon his release Powers set out to find his friend and helper. Friends of Miss Bonham in York, Pa., expect the announcement soon of her engagement, although so far there has been no statement relative to this from the family.

SCORES ESCAPE DEATH IN WRECK

GREENWICH, Conn., July 17.—Scores of wealthy passengers barely escaped death in a wreck of the New York, New Haven and Hartford White Mountain Express here in which Miss Margaret Armstrong of Wayne, Pa., was killed, and a score badly hurt. The train was composed largely of heavy Pullmans, drawn by two big electric motors, and passed through Greenwich at 60 miles an hour. Just as it reached the bridge west of the station the rails spread and the two locomotives and forward cars tore their way through the earth, and then fell on their sides, 500 feet away. Miss Armstrong's body was cut almost in two. The firemen and police hurriedly quenched the fire which started in the wreckage. All ten coaches of the train were badly damaged.

FLEET AT HONOLULU.

HONOLULU, July 17.—The Atlantic fleet arrived here at 1 o'clock yesterday. The arrival was marked by one of the noisiest demonstrations ever witnessed in these waters. All Japanese vessels are flying American flags.

PENSION INCREASED.

Judge Daniels received information this morning from the commissioner of pensions that Jason T. Phillip's claim for an increase in pension has been granted. He previously had $10 per month, and this increase makes the monthly sum $14.

DAILY MARKETS

Foreign Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, July 17.—An interesting feature of the stocks this morning was the strength of all Gould issues, also in the stocks of roads in what was called the old Gould system. Colorado Fuel was strong and material gains were made in both American Sugar and Consoildated Gas. Stocks which have been the most active recently were heavy, but the declines were mostly fractional. Government bonds were unchanged; others irregular.

Chicago Livestock.

CHICAGO, July 17.—Cattle, 2,000; steady; beeves, $5.75 to $7.60; stockers, $3.70 to $4.60.

Hogs, 18,000; 5c higher; light, $6.20 to $6.85; heavy, $6.65 to $7; pigs, $5.35 to $6. 30.

Sheep, 6,000; steady; natives, $2.90 to $4.60; lambs, $4.20 to 6.80.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, July 17.—Cattle, 2,000; steady; steers, $4.30 to $7.50; stockers, $3 to $4.90.

Hogs, 6,000; 5c higher; bulk, $6.50 to $6.55; pigs, $6.25 to $7.75.

Sheep, 1,000; steady; muttons, $4.25 to $4.75; lambs, $4 to $7.

(By Miner & Co.)

Chicago Markets.

WHEAT

July	90⅝	91	90⅜	90¾
Sept	91	91⅝	90⅝	90⅞
Dec.	93⅜	93¾	93¼	93⅜
May	97⅜	97⅝	96⅞	97¼

CORN

July	76	76⅜	75⅞	76⅛
Sept	75⅝	76⅜	75⅝	76¼
Dec.	62⅜	62⅜	61¾	62⅛

OATS

July	49½	51½	49½	51
Sept	43¼	43½	42¾	43⅛
May	45½	45⅝	44⅞	45⅝

PORK

July	16.15			16.15
Sept	16.25	16.35	16.15	16.25
Oct.	16.35	-6.35	16.17	16.30

Minneapolis Markets.

WHEAT

July	115	118½	115	118½
Sept	97½	98⅝	97¼	97¾
Dec.	96⅛	96¼	95⅞	95⅞

TODAY'S GRAIN GOSSIP

Grain Outlook.

Chicago—Because of empty wheat bins all over the world, unfavorable talk regarding northwest crop and more bullish advices from southwest and west, it is not surprising that foreigners, interior millers and the big interests of the country are all buying wheat on soft spots and we continue of the opinion that while market will have these set backs from time to time they will be only temporary and should be taken advantage of.

Liverpool Grain.

Opening—Wheat, ½ to ⅝d higher; corn, ⅜d higher.

1:30 p. m.—Wheat, ⅝ to ⅞d higher; corn, 1d higher.

3:18 p. m.—Wheat, ⅞ to 1⅛d higher; corn, 1d higher.

Close—Wheat, ⅝ to ⅞d higher; corn, ¾d higher.

Provisions.

Speculators have been buying lard and pork packers here are buying ribs. Selling mostly professional and profit taking.

Hogs.

Opening—Receipts today, 16,000; left over, 6,371; prospects steady at yesterday's close; light, $6.20 to $6.80; mixed, $6.25 to $6.90; heavy, $6.25 to $6.95; rough, $6.25 to $6.50.

Cattle—2,000; prospects dull; generally steady.

Sheep—7,000; prospects strong; lambs weak.

9:00 a. m.—Estimated today, 18,000; left over, 6.371; estimated tomorrow, 13,000 market 5c higher; bulk, $6.60 to $6.85; light, $6.25 to $6.85; mixed, $6.30 to $6.97½; heavy, $6.30 to $7.00; rough, $6.30 to $6.60; pigs, $5.30 to $6.25; porkers, $6.70 to $6.80; good to choice heavy, $6.60 to $7.00.

Cattle—2,000; slow, steady.

Sheep—5,000; steady.

Cash Markets

Wheat —
No. 2 red, 91½ to 92c.
No. 3 red, 90 to 91½c.
No. 2 hard winter, 92½ to 94½c.
No. 3 hard winter, 91½ to 93½c.
Corn—
No. 2 corn, 76c.
No. 2 white, 78 to 78½c.
No. 2 yellow, 77c.
No. 3 corn, 75 to 75⅛c.
No. 3 white, 76½ to 77½c.
No. 3 yellow, 76 to 76½c.
No. 4 corn, 72 to 73c.
Oats—
No. 3 white, 56½ to 58c.
No. 4 white, 55 to 57½c.

MARKET PERSONALS.

John Jungen of Chipmunk Coulee brought in a load of hay yesterday.

Fred Lovejoy of Onalaska marketed three hogs wth local butchers yesterday.

Otto Moos was down from Onalaska with a load of hay Thursday.

H. Roessler of Mormon Coulee sold a load of hay on the market yesterday.

Willam Schwoer of St. Joseph's Ridge was in town with a nice load of hay Thursday.

Henry Selke of South Ridge brought in a load of hay which he sold to local buyers.

C. Krozinski of South Ridge marketed two loads of hogs in town yesterday.

Hans Larson of New Hartford was in town yesterday with a load of hay.

Edward Roessler of Mormon Coulee sold a load of hay on the local market.

Ole Wold brought in a load of hay from his farm in Nodine.

LOCAL MARKET

The local market remains stationary today with the exception of a small change in the bacon price quoted by Langdon & Boyd. The market is exceedingly dull just at present and no change of any consequence are looked forward to for tomorrow. The grocers and other food product dealers are expecting and preparing for rush during the saengerfest week.

RETAIL

Flour

(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.)

Patent, per 1-4 bbl. sack $1.60
Straight, per 1-4 bbl. sack $1.55

Vegetables

(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)

Young carrots, per bunch..2 for 5c
Young beets, per bunch ....2 for 5c
Eggs, strictly fresh 22c
Creamery butter, per pound.....28c
Dairy, per pound 25c
Parsley, per bunch 5c
New cabbage, each .....5@8c
Potatoes, per bushel $1.10
Carrots, per peck 15c
Wax beans, pound 10c
Beets, per peck 20c
Cucumbers, each 5c
Lettuce, 2 bunches for 5c
Green peppers, dozen 30c
Turnips, peck 15c
Fresh tomatoes, pound 10c
Fresh mushrooms 75c
Pineapples, each 15c
Egg plant, each 15c
Green peas, peck 35c
Cantaloupes 10c
Peaches, dozen 20c
Apricots, dozen 15c
California cherries, lb. 25c
Currants 10c
Watermelons 40c
Gooseberries 10c
Blackberries 18c
Red raspberries 15c
Blueberries 13c

(Quoted by Langdon & Boyd.)

Poultry.

Old chickens .....7@8c
Spring chickens, lb. 12½c
Turkeys, pound .....10@12c
Ducks 9c
Geese 8c

Fish

(Quoted by H. M. Sieger.)

Pickerel 8c
Pike, pound 15c
White 15c
Trout, pound 15c
Salmon 15c
Herring .....4@5c
Halibut 15c
Perch 6c

Fruits

(Quoted by J. C. Burns.)

Cucumbers, per dozen 20c
Bananas, per dozen 25c
Oranges, seedlings, per doz 40c
Lemons, per dozen 20c
Pineapples, each .....10@20c
Cocoanuts, each .....5@10c
Cabbage, per head .....5@10c
Blueberries 15c
Plums, basket .....25@50c
Elberta peaches, basket ..30@35c

WHOLESALE

Fruits

(Quoted by J. C. Burns ..

New potatoes, bushed $1.50
Old potatoes 90c
Bananas, per bunch ..$1.75@2.50
Med Sweets .....$3.50@$4.50
Valencias, Cal. $4.50
Lemons, 360 size box $3.50
Lemons, 300 size box.....$3.75
Cabbage, per crate $2.25
Parsnips, per bushel 60c
Carrots, per bushel 75c
Pineapples, per crate ..$3.00@4.00
Cocoanuts, per crate $4.50
California prunes $1.50
Apricots $1.50
Plums .....$1.25@$1.50
California Cherries ....$1.00@1.50
Home cherries .....$1.00@2.00
Blueberries .....$1.50@$1.75
Tomatoes, crate .....75c@$1.00
New carrots .....50c@$1.50
Elb. peaches, 4 basket .....75@85c
Elb. peaches, 6 basket 5$1.50@$1.75
Elb. peaches, bushel ..$2.50@$2.75

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by tht Listman Milling Co.)

Patent (per bbl. in sacks $6.00
Patent, per 1-4 bbl. sack $1.50
Straight, per bbl. in sacks ..$5.80
Straight, per 1-4 bbl. sack $1.45

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton $24.00
(Sacks, $1 per ton extra.)
Shorts, per ton $25.00
(Sacks, $1 per ton extra.)
White middlings, per ton ..$26.00
(Sacks, $1 per ton extra.)
Red Dog, per ton $28.00
(Sacks, $1 per ton extra.)

Cheese

(Quoted by Henry Andregg.)

Full cream brick, pound....10@12c
Full cream Twin, pound....13@16c
Full cream, Limburger, lb...11@14c
Round Swiss .....13@16c
German hand, per box 90c
Primost .....9@12c

Grain.

(Quoted by A. Grams & Son.)

Winter wheat .....80@85c
Spring wheat 90c
Barley .....65@70c
Oats .....45@50c
Rye .....60@65c
Corn .....60@65c

Livestock.

(By Langdon-Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs .....$5.25@$5.85
Steers .....$2.50@$4.00
Heifers .....$2.00@$3.00
Cows .....$1.50@$2.50
Lambs. .....$4.00@$5.00
Sheep .....$2.00@$3.00

Provisions.

Lard, tierce, per pound ..10@10½c
Hams .....13½@14½
Shoulders 8½
Bacon .....14½@15½c
Dry Beef .....19@20c

Butter and Eggs.

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery, per pound 24c
Dairy, per pound .....18@20c
Eggs, fresh, dozen 19c

Hay and Wood

(Quoted by City Scales.)

Hay, wild, per ton .....$8@9
Hay, tame, per ton ....$9.00@10.00
Straw, ton $6.00
Bottom wood, cord ....$4.50@6.00
Second growth, oak ..$4.50@6.00
Pine wood $5.50
Dry wood cord $6.00
Old oak .....$5.00@6.50

A confidence man naturally has no confidence in any man but himself.

WISCONSIN NEWS

LABOR LEADER'S LANGUAGE STRONG

WISHES HARRY ORCHARD WAS "IN HADES"

MANY DELEGATES OBJECT

Eight Hour Day Is Recommended in Work on the New State Capitol

FOND DU LAC, July 17.—A resolution, declaring that "although the Wisconsin State Federation of Labor was opposed to capital punishment, the federation would wish that, if its hopes could be realized, Harry Orchard and his companions could be transported to the world of Hades, so that no more foul plots could be contemplated as have stained the grounds of Idaho and Colorado," was presented by State Organizer F. J. Weber of Milwaukee, at the Wsconsin Federation of Labor convention. Several of the delegates were opposed to the language used, considering it too much on the cursing order. All were agreed that the convention should condemn Orchard in the strongest terms.

Slight Changes in Constitution.

The committee on constitution reported slight changes in the constitution, which includes the striking out of section two of article ten, which pertains to suspension of unions that are in arrears for six months. With this section stricken out, unions are suspended if dues are not paid within three months. Another change provides that payments to the defense fund are also to be made quarterly.

Among the resolutions introduced was one asking for the establishment of an eight hour day for all building trades employed on the capitol building. Other resolutions recommended the establishment of a state printing shop, that engineers in union shops be given the same protection as the union employes; that congress be asked to pass a law prohibiting the issuance of injunctions in labor disputes when other remedies could be found; the president of the United States be asked what the government intended to do in order to protect the courts and the judiciary powers of the country; opposing the passage of laws favoring compulsory arbitration, and opposing sweat shops.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

APPLETON—The school census gives 5,612 children of school age in ths city.

BARABOO—Man Mound park will be formally dedicated August 7 and 8 when the Wisconsin Archaeological society will meet here.

BERLIN—Truck gardeners are complaining of a worm which is destroying the crop.

EAU CLAIRE—Local business men decided to hold a street fair again in Eau Claire this fall. It is figured that this will bring to the city at least $150,000. An agricultural exhibit is to be a feature.

EAU CLAIRE—Four negroes and two whites who had opened a fortune telling emporium have been forced to retire because the license is $25 per day.

FOND DU LAC—Frank O. Prinslow, former president of the Prinslow & Watson Implement company, was fined $450 and costs on conviction of embezzlement of the company's funds

OSHKOSH.—Miss Dorothy Werbke had a narrow escape from drowning when she fell overboard while boating near Portage.

SHEBOYGAN.—The Milweukee Northern road is said to be having some trouble over pieces of land south of the city necessary for its right of way. A concrete passenger station is now being built at Weedens, four miles south of the city.

WAUPUN.—Having sold his interest to W. A. Sanborn, R. H. Oliver has retired from the Waupun Leader with which he was connected for thirty-nine years. Mrs. Adelaide King, formerly of The Milwaukee Sentinel, also retires as associate editor.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The postoffice department has allowed the postoffices at Appleton, Ashland, Madison and Waukesha an additional clerk each.

WAUKESHA.—Franz Heise, aged 44 years, a laborer, committed suicide at the farm of George Ruckteshall in the town of Menomonee by taking paris green.

The ROYAL

5th and Main Sts.

BUYING is the most important thing in the fruit business and our patrons have learned to depend upon us to supply them regularly with good fruits.

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Peaches . . . 10c, 15c, 25c doz.
Plums ..... 5c and 10c doz.
Bartlette Pears ..... 40c doz.
Cherries ..... 20c lb.
Watermelons, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas.

ICE CREAM is best for desert these hot days. Try a 25c brick—we'll deliver it.

Choice Home-Made CANDIES

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BOTH PHONES.

FALLING WALL BURIES 3 MEN

TWO MEN CAN NOT SURVIVE ACCIDENT AT KENOSHA

FLOUR STORAGE HOUSE FALLS

Men Are Buried in the Debris and Are Taken From the Ruins Unconscious

KENOSHA, Wis., July 17. — The collapse of a flour storage house here resulted in the serious injury of three men and, it is feared, that two of them may die. The injured are:

Charles A. Dickhaut, one of the best known architects and contractors in southern Wisconsin, chest crushed and suffering internal injuries.

Anton Giacomazzi, a gateman for the Northwestern, skull crushed, may die.

Frank Hooper, badly bruised, will recover.

The men were at work in the concrete flour vault when the ceiling fell Its weight caused the walls to collapse. The vault had been put in about two weeks ago and Dickhaut and Hooper had gone to remove the false work that was holding the concrete work in position. The third man had walked into the elevator to watch the men at work and was standing near its side when the wall collapsed. All of the men were buried under the debris and were taken out unconscious.

At the Kenosha hospital it was stated Giacomazzi cannot survive, but there is some hope for Dickhaut.

WHAT DOES LABOR MOVEMENT MEAN IN THE CAMPAIGN

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of specifically indorsing the election of any candidate for public office. It has contented itself with publishing the names of candidates for congress who were considered inimical to the interests of labor, although in some instances, notably that of Representative Charles E. Littlefield, of Maine, an open fight has been made against a man running for office. In the case of Mr. Littlefield President Gompers himself invaded his district and made a speech against him. It is not believed that Mr. Bryan will receive the indorsement of the federation formally, but that the pen of Mr. Gompers will contrive to point out unerringly in the publications of the organization that the duty of all laboring folk, whether they belong to unions or not, is to throw their votes to the democratic ticket. This indeed will, it is held, be necessary, if the prestige of the leaders is to remain unimpaired, for unless labor can show that it has been influential in adding to the support given to Bryan, the men who direct the fortunes of the working people will have a serious kink taken in their power.

Labor Resolution Rejected.

There is no doubt that the labor leaders have had the question of wading deeper political water under consideration for some time. At the 27th annual convention of the federation, held at Norfolk, Virginia, in November of last year, a step was taken which makes this clearly apparent. A resolution was introduced by Delegate Lyon, of the central labor union of Newport News, which if adopted would have made it incumconvention, but at the suggestion of the federation of labor to become voters. This resolution was sent to committee, and the committee recommended nonconcurrence. The motion to non-concur was indorsed by the conventon, but at the suggeston of Presdent Gompers, Delegate Ryan stated that the committee wished to add to its recommendations the following:

"But urge all wage earners who are members of our trade unions or applicants for such membership, qualify themselves for citizenship as soon as possible."

The language of the resolutions which was non-concurred in, is interesting at this time as showing the spirit of a large section of the convention:

"Resolved, that the American Federation of Labor provide ways and means and take steps towards having the charters granted to local of the several states after this, provide that no person who is entitled to qualify himself as a voter in the vicinity of the local which he seeks to join, shall be admitted to membership until after he has qualified himself as a voter and that any member of such local who shall lose his right to vote, shall be suspended until he is again qualified as a voter; and that the charters of all existing locals of the several trades be amended so as not to allow new members to be admitted, who are entitled to qualify as voters in the vicinity of the locals which they seek to join after they have qualified themselves to vote, and that all present members of existing locals who are entitled to qualify as voters in the vicinity of their locals shall be allowed a reasonable length of time to qualify themselves to vote, after which time all members of such locals who lose their right to vote shall be suspended until they have requalified themselves to vote; and those who do not qualify shall be suspended until they do qualify themselves, and that this matter be taken up by the American Federation of Labor with the international unions of all of the trades at their next regular meetings and udge at all regular meetings hereafter until such provisions are incorporated in all the charters of all locals of all trades, exsting, and hereafter formed."

If the leaders can hold their followers in line there is no question that more than one important state could be carred for Bryan. A careful tabulation of the membership of the affiliated unions of the American Federation of Labor shows that there are at least 1,680,000 members paid or repotred upon, not counting the 40,000 membership of the United Brewery Workers, whose charter was revoked in June, 1907. There is no question, either, that there has been a remarkable increase in membership for the past eleven months.

Politicians, both republican and democratic, are almost unanimous in declaring that up to this time the leaders have not been able to control their following to the extent of vitally influencing elections. And these observers are curious to learn whether, now that the Denver platform appears to be almost wholly acceptable to labor interests, any results will be forthcoming that will cause them to modify their opinion in this regard.

Representative Burton, of Delaware, a republican, who was in the city today, unhesitatingly took the view that the leaders, however much they endeavor to dragoon their people would be unable to draw the rank and life away from Taft and Sherman.

'The man with the dinner pail" said Doctor Burton, "remembers the period from 1893 to 1897, and when he thinks of it he will not be lead to the support of the party whose return to power would signalize also the return of those conditions."

LOGAN STREET WORK ACCEPTED

The work of macadamizing Kane street on the North Side from Logan street to Livingston street has been completed by the La Crosse Stone company and the members of the board of public works went over the work yesterday and accepted it. The street is paved with granit top dressing and greatly improves the streets.

When a man has to support an affinity she isn't.

Mennen's 25c Can Mennen's Talcum Powder .. **19c**

Colgate's 25c Can Colgate's Talcum Powder .. **19c**

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LEADING LA CROSSE STORE

Huck Towels Huck Towels good size and quality, each ... **5c**

Salted Peanuts 8 ounces Fresh Salted Peanuts for **5c**

Clearance Sale of Garments for GIRLS



Saturday Girls' Day At Doerflinger's--- 20% Discount

On any girl's dress or cloak in the house. Sizes 2 to 18, all our white and colored wash dresses, all our wool dresses, all girls' coats at—

20% OFF

From our regular prices, which are marked in plain selling figures.

Second Floor—Girls' Department

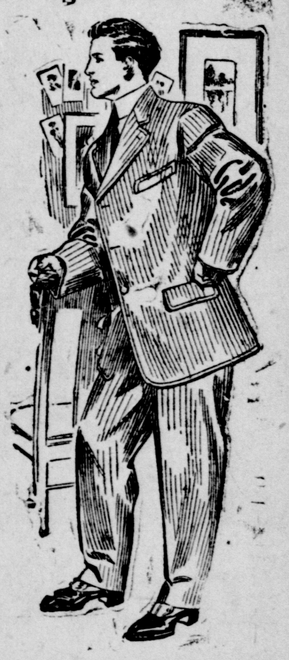
COMING!

Next Monday, special for Saengerfest week to visitors and home-folk: A grand free exhibition of the world famous masterpiece by H. de Mareau, the celebrated French artist of Cannes.

A special feature, secured at great expense by the Doerflinger store and to be placed on FREE exhibition in their Second Floor Salons. Every man, woman and child should see this great masterpiece. "THE VILLAGE BLACKSMITH" is the most wonderful depiction of fire and firelight in the world. Come in and see, next week, the flaming forge, the heated horse shoe and the life-like resemblance to the village smithy. Read about it during the next few days in our ads and in the local papers. On exhibition—FREE to our patrons, all next week.

How to Keep Cool--Though a Man

Dress in Light-Weight Clothes



Special Saturday

(Second Floor.)

Our line of men's outing trousers, cut full, peg or regular, with or without cuffs, values from $2.50 to $5. Special at ..... **1/4 Off**

Men's straw hats in all styles, worth from 49c to $3.00, at ..... **1/4 Off**

Men's fine hemstitched handkerchiefs, full size, regular value 10c; special at **5c**

Men's nobby suits shown in brown, blue, grey, plain and fancy colors, best grade linings, hand made buttonholes, hand filled collars, flexible shoulder pads, hair cloth front, perfect fitting, values to $25.00; special **$17.85**

Underwear Underpriced

Saturday Specials in Cool and Dainty Summer Undergarments—1st Floor.



Women's bleached vests, crochet trimmed, low neck, sleeveless, ribbon drawn through, at **6½c**

Women's 25c lisle vests, low neck, sleeveless, ribbon drawn through, special at **15c**

A Flurry in Ribbons

1st Floor.

Small lot of fancy ribbons in pretty flower designs, 3½ inches wide, formerly sold at 19c, special yard **12½c**

Special Saturday Sale of Family and Picnic Groceries

"Where Purity is Paramount"

(Basement.)

SUGAR—Granulated, 5 lbs. for **25c**
SWEET HOME SOAP—3 bars for **9c**
BAKING POWDER—Bon Bon—1 lb. can for **9c**
OLIVE OIL—Star of Italy—Guaranteed pure—1 quart can **75c**
COFFEE—Caraja—All coffee, very good—1 lb. can **25c**
COFFEE—White House—In 1 and 2 lb. cans, the lb. **35c**
VANILLA—Home brand—Always the best—2 oz. bottle **23c**
OLIVES—Fancy stuffed, 4 oz. botle **9c**
OLIVES—Fancy Queen, 16 oz. bottle .. **25c**
EGG-O-SEE Breakfast Food, at 9c package, or 3 for **23c**
BAKED BEANS—Snider's—No. 1 can for 9c
No. 2 can for 13c
No. 3 can for 17c
WHYNOT BISCUITS — 2 2 packages for **9c**
TAPIOCA—Fancy Pearl—2 lbs. for **15c**
RICE—Fancy Head, 2 lbs. for **15c**
ROOT BEER—Park Brand, the bottle **9c**
ROOT BEER—Hires' Improved—the bottle .. **19c**
GRAPE JUICE—Fremont unfermented, quart bottle **45c**
PARAFFINE WAX—Pure refined, the cake **10c**
PURE WHITE WINE VINEGAR, the gallon **15c**
PURE CIDER VINEGAR—the gallon **17c**
MATCHER—Ringer Brand—12 boxes in package, at **9c**
SHREDDED WHEAT BISCUIT—the pkgs .. **12c**

Famous $4 Shoes for Women $1.95



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The greatest sale of men's and women's high grade Shoes ever known in La Crosse. We've rounded up all that remains from the Satek Shoe stocks, bot by us last month at 55c on the dollar, and embracing such celebrated makes as Crossett's and "Just Wrights"—adding to them several lines from our regular stocks, including remarkable values up to $4, and marked them for Saturday selling—in one monster lot at the slaughter price of, pair **$1.95**

Come early for these bargains—they cannot last long as the rush for them will be unprecedented.

We have just received a lot of children's tan shoes with hand turned soles, sizes 2 to 5, values at pair ..... **50c to $1.00**

Sizes 5 to 8, values at ..... **$1 to $1.50**

Infants' 50c soft sole shoes in pink, blue, brown and patent, button and lace styles, special at pair **39c**

Just arrived, a new line of Martha Washington House Shoes, values at pair **$2.00**

Men's "Arrow Brand" Collars 5c

Basement Economy Section—Saturday.

Men's 50c Work Shirts, each **29c**
Men's 75c Overalls, large and roomy, the pair **49c**
"Arrow" Brand Collars, regular 2 for 25c quality, at each **5c**
50c Bottle "Klenzona" for cleaning gloves, silk waists, velvet, etc., at **10c**
Women's Vests, taped at neck and armholes, at each **7½c**

A Rousing Sale of Rugs!

3rd Floor.

Important Savings for Housewives

25 Crex Rugs, size18x36 in., each **37c**
25 Crex Rugs, size 27x54 in., each **68c**
25 Crex Rugs, size 36x72 in., each **$1.10**

FOR SMOKERS

Put These in Your Suit Case Before You Leave Town For The Summer Vacation:

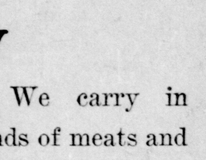
High Tide full size cigar, perfect shape, good filler and wrapper, 12 in wooden box, at **25c**
An assorted lot of Briar Pipes with straight and crooked horn and rubber stems, at **10c**
American Beauty Smoking Tobacco, a fine mixture put up in a tin box, regular 10c package, for **5c**

1st Floor.

½ lb. KRATCHWIL'S FAMOUS CHOCOLATE CREAMS FOR 10c

Get a Picnic Basket--5c

Basement.



Good market baskets or for picnics or fishing parties, worth 25c for

5c *and* 10c

A POLITICAL SHIP

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Mr. Sheldon's private yacht, the Admiral, which will bear many a politician and many a money king to Glen Cove this snmmer for the discussion of republican campaign finances.

(By Hendrick.)

NEW YORK, July 16.—The hunt is on! No longer for candidates; but now for cash.

George R. Sheldon has received his commission as treasurer of the republican national committee and along with it is said to have gone instructions to immediately corral at least $3,000,000. To the layman in politics and finance the sum sounds magnificently impossible. But the national committees don't pick out campaign treasurers who can be staggered with a few ciphers. Four years ago Cornelius N. Bliss handled the keys to the cash register. He was from New York, where money is supposed to grow. When Taft et al., golfing down at Hot Springs, got to the point of choosing a 1908 collector, they looked for some time on Congressman McKinley of Illinois, himself a liberal millionaire and in touch with the finances of the middle west. A man has to be in touch to get campaign funds. Along at the last minnte came a mesage from Bliss that he was coming with the name of a new man to propose for the job. Everybody remembered that Bliss was the boy who lassoed the millionaires back in the good old days of yore and they respected Bliss' judgment. So they waited till Bliss arrived. He bade his recommendation, and straightway a new figure loomed up on the political horizon. And thus was born George R. Sheldon, Glen Cove, Long Island and New York city.

Mr. Sheldon is a banker of long and successful experience. He has been brought up in New York city. He is a close friend of Bliss. He owns yachts and horses and automobiles. He can afford to be treasurer of the national committee; and should funds run shy, he can afford to make up the deficit. He owns a beautiful estate at Glen Cove and he reaches it by one of the prettiest and fastest yachts on Long Island sound. His daughter, Miss Gertrude, is one of the leading horsewomen of the country.

It is said that the party wants Sheldon to produce $3,000,000. No one doubts that Sheldon can do it—and then some, if required. Whatever he does produce will be universally known, too; for by choosing a man from New York state to be committee treasurer the committee puts itself under the New York publicity law, which will require a public reckoning of all funds which Sheldon collects and disburses. Candidate Taft thereby demonstrates his friendliness to campaign fund publicity, despite Denver oratory to the contrary.

Three million dollars will be decidedly less than the G. O. P. has been in the habit of running its campaign on. It sounds more like a democratic figure. Estimates on campaign funds of the past 48 years are as follows:

1860	$ 100,000	$ 50,000
1864	125,000	50,000
1868	150,000	75,000
1872	250,000	50,000
1876	950,000	900,000
1880	1,100,000	355,000
1884	1,300,000	1,400,000
1888	1,350,000	855,000
1892	3,000,000	2,350,000
1896	6,000,000	675,000
1900	9,500,000	600,000
1904	5,000,500	1,250,000

Lincoln didn't have as much of a fund as it is already rumored Andrew Carnegie, with a check for $250,000, has already contributed. Democracy never did shine, except in 1892, when nearly two million and a half dollars was collected. By strange coincidence, democracy won that year. Which does not disprove the suggestion that money talks.

The funds this year will be smaller than for some time past. But even with a reduction, it still requires a man of the caliber of Sheldon to deliver the goods.

Bliss got into McKinley's cabinet on the strength of his work as treasurer. Will Sheldon?

A man never knows much until he is old, and then he is too discreet to tell it.

HARMONY CREAMERY DESTROYED BY FIRE

HARMONY, July 17.—(Special.)—Fire of an unknown origin last evening destroyed the Harmony creamery, entailing a loss of nearly $2,000. The fire was discovered late in the evening and before the volunteer fire department had appeared it had gained a good headway and resulted in completely destroying the building. The machinery in the place had just been installed and everything is a total loss.

No insurance was carried on the building or machinery.

MRS. BRUHA AT REST; LAD LOW

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Bruha, who died from the effects of injuries in a fire, was held this morning from the St. Wenceslaus church. Father X. Till conducted the services and interment took place at the Catholic cemetery.

The deceased's little grandson, Frank Bruha, who sustained injuries in the same fire is still confined to the St. Francis hospital, and was reported this morning to be very low, and small hopes are entertained for his recovery.

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